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Arrivals.

Aug. 8, NORNA, Brit. str., 613, W. D. Anderson, Bombay, 21st July, and Singapore, Aug. 2nd, 1,077 bales Cotton, 366 cases Malwa, and 10 cases Persian Opium.—P. & O. Co.

Departures.

Aug. 8, JOHANNA HEYDORN, for Ningpo.
Aug. 8, ATLANTIC, for Tientsin.
Aug. 8, LANDDROST BRAUN, for Tientsin.
Aug. 8, GLORIOSA, for Whampoa.
Aug. 8, ERL KING, str., for Shanghai.
Aug. 8, ZWEY GEBRUDER, for Tientsin.
Aug. 8, LOCHNEGAR, for Whampoa, in tow of str. "SIR J. JEJEEBHOY."
Aug. 9, CLAN ALPINE, str., for Aberdeen, in tow of the "FAME."

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.
AUGUST 8TH.

Morning Star, for Chefoo.
Goliah, for Ningpo.
Gloriosa, for Whampoa.
Prudhoe, for Foochow.
Erl King, str., for Shanghai.
Zwey Gebruder, for Tientsin.

Passengers.

Per *Norna*, str., from Galle.—
Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, and 16 Chinese.

Reports.

The British steamer *Norna*, reports having had moderate weather during the voyage. Passed the French ship *Tamatave* in the China Sea. Left in Singapore H.M.Str. *Zebra* bound for this, also a French transport, supposed to be the *Sarthe*.

Auction Sales To-day.

LAMMERT, AIKINSON & Co.
Iron Sheets.

Grey Shirtings, &c.

H. N. MODY.
Bombay Cotton.

JAMES A. BROOKS.
Canvass.

WANTED.

TWO ROOMS. Please address K. D., Office of this Paper.
tf 1625 Hongkong, 13th July, 1867.

REWARD.

WE, the Undersigned, offer as a REWARD for the delivery of Captain JOSEPH HUNT, or his Wife, MERCY HUNT, late of the American barque *Rover*, alive in any Treaty Port in China, the amount opposite our signatures, or one-half the same amount for their bodies, delivered in any Treaty Port in China.

Captain JOSEPH HUNT, Wife, Officers, and Crew landed on the south point of the Island of Formosa, about the 12th of March, 1867, *after the loss of the Vessel.*

J. H. L. DOTEFUHR .... $1,000.
J. G. WILLOBY .... 1,000.
F. G. JORDON .... 500.

tf 1252 Swatow, 24th May, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned is ready to receive Tenders for the conveyance of COALS to the undermentioned Ports, viz:—

Swatow, about .... 300 Tons.
Amoy, " .... 500 "
Foochow, " .... 300 "

RICH. G. HAWKE,
Acting Naval Storekeeper.
H.M.'s Naval Yard,
Hongkong, 5th August, 1867. tf 1804

BARNARD, WILSON & Co.
SHIP CHANDLERS AND GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,
SHIPWRIGHTS, ENGINEERS, AND BLACKSMITHS,
MANILA.

Carpenters' and Blacksmiths' work done on more moderate terms than in China.

Every convenience for heaving down and coppering.
tf 1375, Manila, June 4th, 1867. [J21

BILLIARDS! BILLIARDS! BILLIARDS!

COMMERCIAL BILLIARD ROOMS.

ENTRANCES:—*Queen's Road* (next door to Messrs. SAYLE & Co.), and *Stanley Street.*

F. SIMONS begs to return his sincere thanks to his Friends and the Public in general, for the very liberal support he has hitherto enjoyed; and hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same. He also begs to assure them that he keeps the best Wines and Liquors only.

Iced Fancy Drinks of all descriptions.

Four First-class English and American BILLIARD TABLES in good order and repair.

Those who are fond of the noble and gentlemanly Game of Billiards, will find these Rooms quite to their satisfaction and perfectly select.

F. S. will also be glad to repair, re-cover, level, and thoroughly overhaul Billiard Tables, at a reasonable rate, for any Gentleman who may require his services.

Commercial Billiard Rooms,
Hongkong, 30th July, 1867. [tf 1760

"STAG" HOTEL.

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

PERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find it at the above Establishment, on the following

TERMS:

PER DAY $3.00
BREAKFAST, 9 A.M. $0.75
TIFFIN, 1 P.M. $0.75
DINNER, 7 P.M. $1.00

The HOUSE is replete with every convenience, and the ROOMS are lofty and commodious, and well furnished.

The BED-ROOMS are kept scrupulously clean and comfortable.

WINES and SPIRITS of the best quality only are supplied.

There is a BILLIARD ROOM in the Hotel, fitted with two first-class TABLES, and furnished with PUNKAHS, &c.

Shower and Plunge BATHS may be obtained on the premises.

PRIVATE ROOMS for dinner and Supper Parties.

Families and Messes supplied with first-class STORES of all kinds at moderate prices.
tf 1720 Hongkong, 24th July, 1867.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.
STEAM-TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN."

THIS Powerful Tug is available at any time to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from sea.

For particulars, apply to the
Captain on board,
or to J. B. ENDICOTT,
Secretary.
2566 Hongkong, 12th October, 1866.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK Co., LIMITED.
STEAM-TUG "FAME."
110 *H. P.* NOMINAL.
With disconnecting Engines.

THIS powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from sea.

For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, *d'Aguilar Street*, Hongkong.
JOHN S. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

Banks.

THE
ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, *30th August*, 1851.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.
RESERVED FUND, £444,000.
Court of Directors.

Harry George Gordon, Esq., Chairman.
William Scott Binny, Esq., Deputy-Chairman.
James Blyth, Esq.
Duncan James Kay, Esq.
J. Binny Key, Esq.
Alexander Mackenzie, Esq.
Lestock Robert Reid, Esq.
James Walker, Esq.
Charles J. F. Stuart, Esq., Chief-Manager.

Bankers.
The Bank of England.
The Union Bank of London.
Agents in Scotland.
National Bank of Scotland,
Commercial Bank of Scotland.
Agent in Edinburgh.
R. Dundas Cay,
23, St. Andrew's Square, Edinburgh.
Agents in Ireland.
Provincial Bank of Ireland.
The National Bank.
Head Office.
Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.
Branches and Agencies.

BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PONDICHERRY, KURRACHEE, COLOMBO, POINT DE GALLE, MAURITIUS, MELBOURNE, SYDNEY, SINGAPORE, FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

The Corporation receive Money on Deposit repayable on Demand, upon which no Interest is allowed. Current accounts are kept with Firms and Individuals, free of Commission.

Money is also received on Fixed Deposit, repayable at Twelve, Six, and Three Months' notice. Rates of interest may be known on application either at the office of the Corporation or by letter addressed to the Manager.

Notice of withdrawal may be given at the time of deposit.

The Corporation discount Bills and Notes payable in Hongkong, having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership; and they advance upon Bullion and Merchandize, not of a perishable nature, in the custody of the Bank.

Exchange.

The Corporation grant Drafts on the Bank of England payable on demand, on the Union Bank of London at Four Months' sight, and on the Head office at shorter sight.

Circular Notes for the use of Travellers are issued, negotiable in all places of importance throughout the world.

Drafts are granted on the several Branches and Agencies of the Corporation, as above, at the Exchange of the day, and on the proper address being furnished will be forwarded direct to the Payees by the Corporation.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Approved Bills payable in San Francisco are also purchased by the Corporation, and drafts granted, at rates of exchange equivalent to those ruling on London.—Bills of Exchange on San Francisco, or the Atlantic Ports, will likewise be remitted for collection, at the option of Constituents.

All cheques or orders to be made payable to "The Oriental Bank Corporation."

Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours 10 to 3, Saturday 10 to 1.
JAMES BERWICK, *Acting Manager.*
249 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL...5,000,000 of Dollars.

Court of Directors:—
Chairman—WOLDEMAR NISSEN, ESQ.
Deputy Chairman—ARTHUR SASSOON, ESQ.
W. H. Foster, Jr., Esq. — Julius Menke, Esq.
Geo. F. Heard, Esq. — Caleb T. Smith, Esq.
Geo. J. Helland, Esq. — Thos. Sutherland, Esq.
William Lemann, Esq.

Managers;—
Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq.
Shanghai—David McLean, Esq.
London Bankers—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months' 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 5 " "
" 12 " 6 " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits—granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts—granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
VICTOR KRESSER, *Manager.*
Offices of the Corporation,
Wardley House, No. 1, Queen's Road.
31st July, 1867. tf 929.

NOTICE.

IT being considered desirable to shorten the usance of Bills drawn in India and China on Europe, the undersigned *hereby give notice* that from 1st January, 1867, their Branches and Agencies in the East will only buy and sell Bills of Exchange at a term not exceeding four months' sight.

The undersigned further give notice that they will purchase Bills of Exchange, drawn under Credits, only when the Credits contain a distinct engagement with the holders of the Bills to accept the same.

G. U. ADAM,
For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.
D. T. ROBERTSON,
For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China.
J. OUSELEY,
For the Bank of Hindustan, China and Japan, Limited.
J. C. PARRY,
For the Delhi and London Bank, Limited.
G. PIETSCH,
For the Comptoir D'Escompte de Paris.
CHARLES J. F. STUART,
For the Oriental Bank Corporation.
tf 1795 Hongkong, 21st August, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE undermentioned BANKS hereby intimate to the Public generally that the only persons authorised to make contracts on their behalf, of any kind whatsoever, are their respective MANAGERS or other legally authorised representatives.

No Chinese employé whatever have any authority to negotiate or conclude any business arrangements on behalf of the said CORPORATIONS.

For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA,
W. JACKSON,
Manager, Hongkong.
For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
V. KRESSER,
Manager.
For the COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.
HONGKONG AGENCY,
E. DELBANCO,
Acting Manager.
For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA,
W. KAYE,
Manager, Hongkong.
tf 1170 Hongkong, 16th May, 1867.

NOTICE.

A SUB-AGENCY of the Oriental Bank Corporation, under the charge of Mr. ALEXANDER PATERSON, has been OPENED at FOOCHOW.
J. McDOUALL, *Manager.*
Oriental Bank Corporation.
tf 1899 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1866.

Banks.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.
CAPITAL PAID-UP £750,000.
With power to increase to £1,500,000.
Reserve Fund, £145,902 14s. 8d.
Head-Office—No. 65, *Old Broad Street, London, E.C.*

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
George Garden Nicol, Esq.—*Chairman.*
Donald Larnach, Esq.
George May, Esq.
Sir Frederick J. Halliday.
James M. Robertson, Esq.
Ellis James Gilman, Esq.
David Trail Robertson, Esq.—*Chief-Manager.*
LONDON BANKERS.
Bank of England.
London Joint Stock Bank.
SOLICITORS.
Messrs. Clarke, Sons, & Rawlins, Coleman St.
AUDITORS.
Messrs. Coleman, Turquand, Youngs & Co., Public Accountants.
J. Smith, Esq., of Messrs. W. Nicol & Co., Bombay.
James Joseph Mackenzie, Esq., late of Messrs. Dent & Co., China.
Branches and Agencies.
Bombay,
Calcutta,
Madras,
Ceylon { Colombo, Kandy, Galle.
Singapore.
Penang.
Foochow.
Shanghai.
Yokohama.
Hankow.
Mauritius.
Saigon.
Batavia.
EDINBURGH DEPOSIT AGENCY,
128, George Street.
CHARLES PEARSON, ESQ., C.A.—Agent.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Current deposits.—Accounts are kept on which no interest is allowed and no charge made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c.

Fixed deposits.—Are received viz:—
Repayable at 12 months' .... 6 °/ₒ per annum.
" at 6 " .... 5 °/ₒ per annum.

The Bank discounts Local Bills, and Notes payable in Hongkong having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, and makes advances on approved Banking Securities.

Exchange.

The Bank issues drafts on its London Office, and on the London Joint Stock Bank at four months' sight, also on its Branches above, and Agents in Scotland, Ireland, Melbourne, Sydney, and Towns in Australia, New Zealand, &c., and grants Circular Notes for the use of travellers negotiable in all Towns of importance throughout the world.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours:—10 to 3, Saturday 10 to 1.
WILLIAM JACKSON, *Manager.*
2, Queen's Road, 24th July, 1867.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new DEED of SETTLEMENT of the CORPORATION having received the sanction and approval of HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in conformity with the provisions of the Ordinance of Incorporation, is now ready for signature by the Shareholders.

Shareholders or persons holding Powers of Attorney for Shareholders are requested to call at the HEAD OFFICE of the CORPORATION, and sign the Deed with the least possible delay, as it is essential that it be signed forthwith.

By order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Manager.
tf 1693 Hongkong, 22nd July, 1867.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

A SPECIAL AGENCY of the above CORPORATION has been OPENED in Foochow, under the charge of Mr. JOHN S. LOUDEN.
VICTOR KRESSER,
Manager.
tf 983 Hongkong, 24th April, 1867.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA EXPRESS AND EXCHANGE COMPANY.

NOTICE.

WE are prepared to grant DRAFTS on Shanghai, the Yangtsze Ports, Ningpo, Cheefoo, Tientsin, and Yokohama, in Sums not less than ($5.00) Five Dollars, at a charge of ½ °/ₒ, thus affording facilities for settling small balances with those places, where also the same facilities will be granted.

For further particulars, apply to
PHILIP K. DUMARESQ,
Agent.
tf 1681 Hongkong, 19th July, 1867.

WELLS, FARGO & Co.,
NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA EXPRESS AND EXCHANGE COMPANY.

EXPRESS NOTICE.

AN EXPRESS will be forwarded to Shanghai, Yangtsze Ports, Tientsin, and Yokohama, by every steamer leaving here for Shanghai.

Packages received at our Office until one hour before departure of each vessel.
PHILIP K. DUMARESQ,
Agent,
WELLS, FARGO & Co.
tf 1253 Hongkong, 27th May, 1867.

C. ADOLPHE LOW & Co.,
SHIPPING & COMMISSION MERCHANTS, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. REFER TO
Messrs. RUSSELL & Co. } Hongkong.
" SMITH, ARCHER & Co }
" B. DAVIDSON & Co. } San Francisco, Cal.
Agents for the Rothschilds. }
A. A. LOW & BROS., New York.
6m 440 Hongkong, 13th February, 1867.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.
TRUSTEES.
HONORABLE JAMES WHITTALL, ESQ.
HONORABLE T. W. MERCER, ESQ.
A. F. HEARD, ESQ.
W. H. DALZIEL, ESQ., Acting Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio.)
Resident Surgeon—W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D.
Treasurer—H. G. JAMES, ESQ.

The Trustees of this Institution have much pleasure in informing the community of this colony and all connected with the mercantile marine, that the New Hospital is now completed and ready for the reception of Patients.

SCALE OF CHARGES.
1st Class (private room) per day $3.00
2nd " (2 beds in each room) 2.00
3rd " (Public Wards) 1.00

These charges are inclusive of all medicines, but exclusive of Wines, private washing, or articles not the recognised dietary in table, which may be ordered by the Surgeon, and will be charged for as extras.

By order of the Trustees.
H. G. JAMES, *Treasurer.*
tf 1120 East Point, 1st June, 1866.

FOR SALE.
Per Steamer *Thales.*

VEUVE CLIQUOT CHAMPAGNE, per dozen, $18.

FRESH BUTTER, in 1-lb. Bottles, per dozen, $12.
G. DUBOST & Co.
1m 1724 Hongkong, 25th July, 1867.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

THIS DAY,
the 9th August, 1867, at 11 o'clock A.M.
at Messrs. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.'s Godowns
(For account of the concerned),
Ex *Veronica*,—

250 bundles, each 1 picul, of IRON SHEETS of 8 different sizes,
all more or less damaged by Sea Water.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars at 7.1.7.
1831 Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

BOWRA & Co.
WILL Sell by Public Auction

THIS DAY,
the 9th August, 1867, at 11 A.M.,
At Messrs. SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.'s Godown,—

A quantity of IRON FURNACE BARS, STATIONERY, INK BOOKS, Old Godown LUMBER for Dunnage, &c., &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
1848 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have been instructed to Sell by Public Auction

THIS DAY,
the 9th August, 1867, at Noon,
At Messrs. DEETJEN and VON BERGEN'S Godowns,
(For account of the concerned),
Ex *Solent*,—

J. A. B. S. 16 Bales, each 50 Pieces 7-lb. GREY SHIRTINGS.
" 1 Bale, containing 50 Pieces 8-lb. T-CLOTH.
B. B. B. 3 Cases, each 50 Pieces TURKEY RED SHIRTINGS, 3 lb. 3 ozs.
4 D. B. in heart, 1 Case, containing 50 Pieces DYED BROCADES.
(All more or less damaged by Sea Water).

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
1840 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, *Queen's Road*,

THIS DAY,
the 9th August, 1867, at Noon,—
BISCUITS, JAMS and JELLIES, Side and Vegetable DISHES, HORSEHAIR, SHERRY, WHISKY, &c., &c.
3 Bales TWINE.
100 Mill. PERCUSSION CAPS.
50 Dozen Pairs SCISSORS.
200 MUSKETS.
Sundry HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
And a few
JAPANESE VASES.
Ex *Naomi*,
(On account of the concerned),—
P. & O. Co. in diamond, No. 115, 1 Bale CANVAS.
Damaged by Sea Water.
With any other GOODS that may offer.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots with all faults and errors of description at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.
1842 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

THIS DAY,
the 9th August, 1867, at Noon,
At the Godowns of Messrs. ABDOOLALLY EBRAHIM & Co. near the OLD CENTRAL POLICE STATION,—
17 Bales BOMBAY COTTON.
(More or less damaged by Sea Water).
ex *Muscat Merchant.*

TERMS.—Cash on delivery in Bank notes.
H. N. MODY,
Auctioneer.
1838 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, at his Rooms, No. 10, *Wyndham Street*,

THIS DAY,
the 9th August, 1867, at Noon,
(On account of the concerned),—
9 Bales of CANVAS,
All more or less damaged by Sea Water,
Ex *Solent.*

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
JAMES A. BROOKS,
Auctioneer.
1841 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

BOWRA & Co.
WILL Sell by Public Auction,

TO-MORROW,
10th August, 1867, at 11 o'clock A.M.,
At the CONTINENTAL HOTEL (by order of the Mortgagees),—
Sundry HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and BILLIARD TABLE.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
1818 Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THAT VALUABLE AND EXTENSIVE PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE SHANGHAI CLUB.

WHEELOCK & MELLER have been favored with instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

TO-MORROW,
the 10th of August, 1867, at 2 o'clock P.M., at their Rooms,—

By order of the MORTGAGEES, the lease of the building known as the
SHANGHAI CLUB.

This property was erected in the years 1862 and 1863, after drawings by CHAS. ST. GEORGE CLEVERLY, Esq., of Hongkong, *is Constructed of the very Best Material*, and is now in perfect order, a considerable outlay having been recently expended in External and Internal repairs and improvements.

Gas and Water laid on throughout the establishment.

The Building consists of three Stories, comprising,—

On the Ground Floor an extensive HALL paved with Marble, and a large READING ROOM 26 by 40 ft.

Two Rooms occupied at present by the Shanghai Library, unitedly 26 by 40 feet.

Two Billiard Rooms 40 by 35 ft., besides LAVATORY, SECRETARY'S OFFICES, WATER-CLOSETS, &c., together with three wide Staircases.

The First Floor contains a DRAWING-ROOM, 58 by 40; the SUPPER-ROOM, 40 by 26; Large DINING-ROOM, 40 by 35; Small DINING-ROOM, 35 by 20, Two CARD ROOMS and also PANTRIES and WATER-CLOSETS, &c.

The Upper Floor comprises twelve BED-ROOMS and BATH-ROOMS, and a large LOOK-OUT approached by a staircase and commanding an extensive prospect of the surrounding country. The Outhouses consist of a large two-storied Building, comprising an extensive KITCHEN, WINE and COALSTORES, and SERVANTS' OFFICES. The Dining-room, for convenience, is supplied with a lift.

The Building is surrounded in the two upper floors on three sides by a spacious VERANDAH, and faces immediately the best part of the Anchorage in the River.

The Building has an unexpired lease of 99 years, of which 92 have yet to run, at a yearly rental of £550 per annum.

This very Valuable Property is to be sold without the slightest reserve, and the Lease will be handed over to the purchaser immediately on his complying with the terms of sale, which can be known, and all other necessary particulars, on application to the Auctioneers.
1781 Shanghai, 17th July, 1867.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on account of the concerned,

TO-MORROW,
the 10th August, 1867, at 10 A.M.,
In the Godowns of Messrs. HAGEDORN & Co., *Stanley Street*,—
H. 1/10 = 10 Cases Long Enfield RIFLES, each containing 20 Pieces.
" 11/20 = 10 Cases Short Enfield RIFLES, with Sword Bayonets, also at 20 in each Case,
Ex *Northfleet*,
More or less Damaged by Sea Water,
Afterwards,
G. M. in star, 3 — One Case, 100 Half-pound Jars Liebig's Extract of BEEF,
Ex *Naomi*,
More or less Damaged by Sea Water.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7, or approved Bank Notes. Goods to be taken delivery directly after the Auction; with all faults and errors of description.
J. [illegible] & Co.,
Auctioneers.
1839 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction

TO-MORROW,
the 10th August, 1867, at Noon,
At Messrs. SIEMSSEN & Co.'s Godowns,
For account of whom it may concern,
Ex *Solent*,—
4 S H 4 in heart, 18 Bales LONG ELLS.
W G L in heart, 1 Case SPANISH STRIPES.
All more or less damaged by Sea Water.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
1847 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

WHEELOCK & MELLER have been favored with instructions to Sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Room, on

MONDAY,
12th August, 1867, at 3 o'clock, P.M.,
(if not previously disposed of private contract),—
The Steamer
WARATAH,
of 250 Tons burthen, built at Dumbarton, Scotland, 1861.

HER DIMENSIONS ARE:—
Length from Stem to Stern .... 167 feet.
Breadth, amidships .... 20 "
Depth in hold .... 12 " 3/10

She will carry 280 Tons below deck, 120 Tons on deck, and 55 Tons Coal in her Bunkers.

Her Nominal horse power is 150.
Average Speed, 8 to 9 knots.
Draught when loaded, 10 feet.

Her Engines and Boilers are in good order, and she does not necessitate any outlay to fit her for immediate work.

For Inventory and further particulars, apply to the Auctioneers.
1782 Shanghai, 12th July, 1867.

GRAND JAPANESE AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have just received from Japan, and will Sell by Public Auction, on *TUESDAY*,
the 13th August, 1867, commencing at Noon,
In their Stores Premises (entrance either on the *Queen's Road* or on the *Praya*),—

A large Invoice of Lacquered and Inlaid JAPAN WARE, in great variety, consisting of handsome WORK-TABLES, with Crape decorations and Stands, TOILET TABLES, TEAPOYS, WRITING TABLES and DESKS, TEA CADDIES, CHOW-CHOW BOXES, BOOK SHELVES, *Portable* WHATNOTS, LIQUEUR STANDS, PORCELAIN VASES, JARS and CUPS, Wicker-covered CUPS and SAUCERS, Eggshell, China, and Biscuit PORCELAIN, PICTURE FRAMES, Lubghered and Metal TEA-TRAYS, SWORDS, Flower DEVICES, MUSICAL DOLLS, CLAY IMAGES, NESTS of BOXES, CIGAR CASES, IVORIES, BRONZE BROOCHES, &c., &c.

The whole of the above are now on view.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.
1821 Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

FOR SALE.

VALUABLE NEWSPAPER PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned beg to announce that they have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,
the Fifteenth day of August, 1867, at Noon, on the Premises (if not previously disposed of by private contract)—

The whole of the PLANT, STOCK, BOOK DEBTS, COPYRIGHTS, GOODWILL, &c., of and in the *China Mail* and *Overland China Mail* Newspapers.

The PLANT includes all that is necessary in Machinery and Type in a first-class Office for the production of Newspapers.

The JOBBING DEPARTMENT is also well furnished with a large variety of Type (much of it new) in English and Foreign Founts, and with Columbian, Imperial, Royal, Albion, and other Presses.

The *CHINA MAIL* is published daily, and has a large local and coast circulation, with an extensive advertising connection.

The *OVERLAND CHINA MAIL* is compiled from the *China Mail* and is published every fortnight on the departure of each English Mail. Its circulation extends throughout the East, England, and Europe generally, Australia, and America.

For Particulars relating to the Stock, Plant, &c., apply to the Manager at the Office.

(Terms and all other particulars may be learnt from HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq., Solicitor.
BOWRA & Co., *Auctioneers.*
1615 Hongkong, 12th July, 1867.

FOR SALE AT MACAO.

TWO FINE HOUSES, Nos. 46 and 47, adjoining each other, situated on the *Praia Grande*, and three others, Nos. 11, 13, and 26 *Rua Formosa*. Intending purchasers are invited to come forward quickly, as the Undersigned have already received offers for three of the Premises. Apply to
A. A. DE MELLO & Co.
tf 1661 Macao, 16th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.

THAT Piece of LAND known as Inland Lot No. 796, situated between the *Pokfoolum* and *Battery Roads.*

Also,
Inland Lots Nos. 27, 30, and 31 at *Aberdeen.*
Apply to
E. WHEELEY.
1m 1607 Hongkong, 11th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.

THAT ROW of six HOUSES, immediately above *Caine Road*, known as *West Terrace*, and situated on a portion of Inland Lot, No. 425.

For particulars, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 404 Hongkong, 11th February, 1867.

FOR SALE.

THE PROPERTY belonging to the Estate of B. H. CAMA, consisting of the Commodious three storied DWELLING HOUSE with Godowns attached, situated on the *Praya*, westward of *Pedder's Wharf*. Four Stone Godowns at *West Point*; and Four Stone Godowns at *Wanchai.*

For further particulars, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
Attornies for the Trustees of B. H. CAMA's Estate.
tf 258 Hongkong, 24th January, 1867.

FOR SALE.

IRON WATER-TANKS, each 400 Gallons.
BOWRA & Co.
1m 1787 Hongkong, 2nd August, 1867.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the Rooms of the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, "CLUB CHAMBERS," at 3 P.M. on FRIDAY, the 16th day of August (when a statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors will be laid before the Meeting), for the purpose of electing Directors in the place of those who retire in accordance with the provision of the Articles of Association, the declaration of a Dividend, and the election of Auditors.

By order of the Directors,
JOHN S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.
tf 1717 Hongkong, 24th July, 1867.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from the 25th day of July instant to the 15th day of August proximo, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
JOHN S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.
tf 1716 Hongkong, 24th July, 1867.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are informed that they can obtain, on application at the Office of the Company, Copies of the New Articles of Association; also special Powers of Attorney.

All Persons representing Shareholders by Power of Attorney, are requested to forward the same to the Office, for Registration.

By order of the Directors,
JOHN S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.
tf 1766 Hongkong, 31st July, 1867.

NOTICE.

HONKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to return to the Office of the Company the SCRIP CERTIFICATES, and DEEDS OF TRANSFER, for which they will receive in exchange new SCRIP CERTIFICATES, under the present regulations of the Company.

By order of the Directors,
JOHN S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.
tf 2736 Hongkong, 14th December, 1866.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS in the CORPORATION will be held at the Head Office of the BANK, WARDLEY HOUSE, *Queen's Road*, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the Thirteenth day of August proximo, at three o'clock P.M. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a statement of Accounts, to 30th June, 1867.

By order of the Court of Directors.
VICTOR KRESSER,
Manager.
14d 1770 Hongkong, 31st July, 1867.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE DIVIDEND of Dollars Seven and One Half per Share ($7.50) declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of the Shareholders on the 8th instant, will be paid at the Office of the GENERAL AGENTS on and after the 15th instant.

By Order,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents.
1m 1623 Hongkong, 13th July, 1867.

NOTICE.

A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at HAPPY VALLEY every SUNDAY, commencing at 6 P.M., Weather permitting.

N.B.—The object of these meetings is the extension of CHRIST'S KINGDOM.
tf 1442 Hongkong, 18th June, 1867.

FIVE DOLLARS REWARD.

A BLACK and White NEWFOUNDLAND DOG, nine months old, answers to the name of "TOMMY." Any person bringing the same to the undersigned will receive the above reward.

W. WILLIAMS,
"Crown and Anchor" Tavern,
Queen's Road West.
1799 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1867.

TO LET.

TO be Let Furnished, a HOUSE in *West Terrace*. Four Rooms and Out Offices. Rent moderate. Address M., *Daily Press* Office.
tf 1745 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Foreign Attachment.

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED, *Plaintiffs,*
vs.
ROBERT SMITH and JAMES EWING,
Defendants.

WHEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Honorable Court at the suit of the above-named Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited, against the above-named Robert Smith and James Ewing to recover the sum of Six thousand Nine hundred and Forty-eight Dollars and Seventy-nine Cents for money found to be due from the said Defendants to the said Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited, on an account stated between them; and, it being alleged that the said Robert Smith and James Ewing do not reside within this Island or its Dependencies, a writ of *Foreign Attachment* has been issued, returnable on the *Nineteenth day of August instant*, wherein William Taylor, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Master of the Ship *Mirage*, is garnishee.

Notice is hereby given that if at any time before final judgment in this action the said Robert Smith and James Ewing, or any person on their behalf, will give the security and notice and file the appearance or plea required by the Ordinance of this Island entituled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate process in actions at Law against persons absent from the Colony," the said attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this Second day of August, 1867.
HENRY C. CALDWELL,
Plaintiffs' Attorney.
14d 1813 Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

CONSULATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

ADMINISTRATION upon the Estate in China of JOSEPH W. HUNT, late Master of the barque *Rover*, appertaining to this Office, all Persons [illegible]ted to said Estate are requested to mak[e im]mediate payment, and all having claims to p[resent th]at them for adjustment.
J. E. A. WINGATE,
U.S. Consul.
2m 1832 Swatow, 1st August, 1867.

O. ZACHARIAE,
Queen's Road, No. 118,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
DEALER IN
CIGARS AND TOBACCO.
tf 1824 Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

N. CREMER & Co.,
CONFECTIONERS and PASTRY COOKS,
No. 1, *Stanley Street.*
ICE CREAM
EVERY DAY.

Orders for Dinners, &c., promptly executed.
tf 921 Hongkong, 15th April, 1867.

Intimations.

WANTED, on BOTTOMRY, for Disbursements of British Ship *Mirage*, the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars. Apply to
The Captain on Board.
3d 1843 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

TO LET.

A COMMODIOUS HOUSE, situated in *Elgin Street.* Apply to
D. NOWROJEE.
tf 1844 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

TENDERS for the REPAIRS of the British Ship *Southern Belle* will be received at this Office until Noon of WEDNESDAY next, the 14th instant.

Particulars of the Repairs can be had on application to the Undersigned, who do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
6d 1845 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

MISS ROSE has received, ex *Solent* and late arrivals by Overland Mail, a Choice and Varied Selection of—
LADIES' DRESSES, MANTLES, HATS, BONNETS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS, RIBBONS, HAIR-NETS, &c., &c.
GENTLEMEN'S BOOTS, TIES, NECKTIES, COLLARS, &c., &c.
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S HOSIERY PERFUMERY.

A Nice Assortment of BERLIN-WOOL CUSHIONS, Ladies' and Gentlemen's SLIPPERS, to finish and fill up.

Wellington Street (opposite the CATHOLIC CHAPEL).
tf 1846 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.

THE Steamship
"YESSO,"
Captain Ashton, will leave for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 11th instant, at 9 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
2d 1849 Hongkong, 9th August, 1867.

NOTICE.

TENDERS will be received at this Office until Noon on TUESDAY, the 13th instant, for the hire of a HOUSE containing 6 Rooms, with Stabling, &c. The Premises must be in good Repair and in a healthy position, the occupying Tenant to be free from all rates and taxes.

The House will be taken by the Month or Quarter, with usual notice.
REDMOND UNIACKE,
Assistant Commissary General.
Commissariat Office,
3d 1835 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

WELLS, FARGO & Co.,
NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA EXPRESS AND EXCHANGE COMPANY.

NOTICE.

OUR regular EXPRESS will be forwarded to Yokohama, San Francisco, the Atlantic States, Canada, and Europe, per Steamer *Colorado*, on the 15th instant, at 4 P.M. Parcels and Freight received until 4 P.M. on WEDNESDAY, the 14th.
PHILIP K. DUMARESQ,
Agent.
9d 1822 Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

TIMES OF DEPARTURES
OF THE
CHINA STEAM-SHIP AND LABUAN COAL COMPANY'S "Limited" Steamers from Singapore, to Sarawak, Labuan, Manila, Amoy and back.

No. 1.
Leaves Singapore, ... 4th each month.
Arrives at Sarawak, ... 6th "
Leaves Sarawak, ... 7th "
Arrives at Labuan, ... 9th "
Leaves Labuan, ... 13th "
Arrives at Singapore, ... 17th "

No. 2.
Leaves Singapore, 21st each month, on arrival of French Mail.
Arrives at Labuan, 24th each month.
Leaves Labuan, 25th "
Arrives at Manila, 29th "
Leaves Manila, 4th following month.
Arrives at Amoy, 8th "
Leaves Amoy, 12th "
Arrives at Manila, 16th "
Leaves Manila, 21st with French Mail.

JOHN PITMAN,
Marine Superintendent.
tf 1783 Hongkong, 14th August, 1866.

NOW READY AND TO BE HAD
AT THE
OFFICE OF THE "*DAILY PRESS*,"
PART SECOND
OF A NEW
ANGLO-CHINESE DICTIONARY, QUARTO
BY THE
REV. W. LOBSCHEID,
WITH PUNTI AND MANDARIN PRONUNCIATION.

THIS WORK was commenced in November, 1864, and will be completed towards the end of 1868, comprising in all 2,000 large quarto pages. The third part will be out in April next, and the fourth about December, 1868. Much care has been bestowed on the work to render it useful, both to the Merchant and to the Student of the Chinese and English languages. Articles of Trade, Objects of Natural History, all the articles to be obtained in the Chinese Market are given with their Chinese equivalents.

THE price of the book complete will be $30, and it will be published in four parts at $7.50 each. But this objection presents itself to the sale of the parts separately, should the purchaser of one or more parts not take the others, a number of incomplete, and consequently valueless, copies will be left on the publisher's hands. To remedy this objection, it is hoped that those who see fit to patronize the undertaking by purchasing the first part, will not object to *signing an arrangement* to take the remaining parts as they appear, or should they prefer it, to pay for the entire work in advance.

The work is offered in boards. The best Bookbinding Establishment in China being connected with this Office, parties desirous of having their copies strongly or elegantly bound will please to intimate the same.

Missionaries supplied at Trade Price.
Daily Press Office, Hongkong.

FRENCH!

THE Advertiser, a PARISIAN, is desirous of giving some French Lessons on moderate terms. Address X. X., care of Office of this Paper.
1m 1708 Hongkong, 31st July, 1867.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM CALCUTTA.

THE British Ship *Omar Pasha*, Captain KNOKSTEDT, having arrived in the Harbour is ready to discharge. Consignees of Cargo by her are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned and take immediate delivery.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at the Consignees' risk and expense.
N. MODY & Co.
21d 1742 Hongkong, 27th July, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE following Packages are still unclaimed and are lying in the P. & O. Co.'s Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery:—

From England.
M. A. S., 1 Case, Rifle, &c., ex *Emeu.*
From Melbourne.
Thos. Warren, 1 Box Printed Bills, ex *Behar.*
From Shanghai.
No Mark, 1 Hat Box, } Baggage ex
1 Small Deal Box, } *Ottawa.*
tf 990 Hongkong, 26th June, 1867.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL.—$750,000.
IN 1,500 SHARES, OF $500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners, and Agents is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repairing of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public:—

ABERDEEN DOCKS.

DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	330 feet.
Breadth	60 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18½ "
Do. Neap Tides	16 "

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	400 feet.
Breadth	90 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	24½ "
Do. Neap Tides	21½ "

This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.

DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE	
Length	550 feet.
Breadth	69 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	16½ a 17 "
Do. Neap Tides	13½ a 15 "

This can be used either as one or two Docks.

DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	340 feet.
Breadth	60 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18 "
Do. Neap Tides	15 "

The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	260 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	14 "
Do. Neap Tides	11 "

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

Length	164 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	12.6 "
Do. Neap Tides	9.6 "

DOCK E.

Length	120 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	11 "
Do. Neap Tides	8 "

D. and *E.* are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineers' Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.,—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and driven by steam. The Shipwright's and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water, and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKER'S DEPARTMENT.

The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships, for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam TUG *Fame,* (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow sailing vessels from Hongkong to the Dock *free of charge,* and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.

For further particulars apply at the Offices of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject, —when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

tf 2295 Hongkong, 13th October, 1864.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters, to their Establishments at WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.

Their DOCKS in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.

The Docks are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours and are capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.

The WORKSHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, alongside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Works carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.

For further particulars apply to

J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary,*
or CAPT. T. B. KENNELL, *Manager at W.poa.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

350 Hongkong, 21st March, 1865.

DANE'S ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY
COW & Co.

ONE DOCK, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.

One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet at Spring Tides.

There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.

All kinds of Ship and Blacksmith's Workdone.

The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.

The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.

No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.

Apply to

JOHN HEACH & Co.
Hongkong; or to
ALEXR. MORRISON,
Manager, Whampoa.

tf Hongkong, 4th September, 1863.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S establishments at the above Port afford facility for repairing and refitting STEAM and SAILING VESSELS.

THEIR LARGE GRANITE DOCK, 286 feet on the blocks—307 feet over all, is in complete working order, and at average spring tides can take vessels drawing 16 to 17 feet. It is fitted with a Caisson Gate, and with a powerful centrifugal steam pump, ensuring despatch in all states of the tides. Their two smaller docks one 223 feet, and the other 160 feet on the blocks, can take vessels at average spring tides drawing 12 feet.

A stock kept on hand of Timber, Spars, Copper and metal sheathing—paints for iron vessels, and other materials required for dock-yard use.

The premises comprise, Carpenter's shops, mast sheds and Blacksmith's shops, superintended by experienced European Foremen, also an ENGINEER'S WORK-SHOP SUPPLIED WITH LATHES AND OTHER TOOLS WORKED BY STEAM, and in charge of a resident European Engineer.

A brass-foundry attached.

Dry Godowns for the reception of stores of vessels requiring to discharge them.

tf 662 Amoy, 1st March, 1867.

UNDER DISPATCH.

For Manila.—Per brig *Villa de Rivadabia,* To-day, the 9th instant, at 4 P.M.

For San Francisco.—Per *Magnolia,* To-morrow, the 10th instant, at noon.

For Shanghai.—Per *Sunda,* To-morrow, the 10th instant, at 4 P.M.

NOW READY.

BOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE REPORT for the year 1866. Price $10.

Apply at the *Daily Press* Office.

tf 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1867.

NOW READY.

THE CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY, for 1867. Price $5.

The work has been compiled with the greatest care, numerous improvements and additions having been suggested and adopted.

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NOW READY.

THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION AND STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANT.

By Dr. DEVAN, with many Additions, Corrections, and Dr. WILLIAMS' Orthography, by the Rev. W. LOBSCHEID.

PRICE: In Paper Wrappers, ...$2.00
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MR. POLLARD'S CASE.

NOW READY,

A PAMPHLET containing Reports of all Proceedings in the Supreme Court relating to the case of Mr. POLLARD and the CHIEF-JUSTICE. Also, various Leading Articles on the subject and affidavits about to be made in reference to what took place, together with the Correspondence between H. E. THE GOVERNOR and Mr. POLLARD, and other Legal Documents connected with the steps to be taken in England in connexion with the case.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR.

Those who desire to receive Copies are requested to forward their orders to the *Daily Press* Office as early as possible.

Hongkong, 30th July, 1867.

The delivery of the *Daily Press* from this office commenced on Thursday morning at 10.15, and the last messengers left the office at 10.45.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, AUGUST 9, 1867.

PEOPLE who contend that it is not the interest of Hongkong to exert itself on behalf of progress, in connection with the revision of the Treaties, because the ports who would benefit by progress most are rivals of this colony, take a very narrow view of the situation. They are justified, no doubt, in saying that it would have been better for Hongkong, that is to say, it would have been better for the people who might have been living in Hongkong in the case supposed, if there had never been any ports opened in China at all. In no elevated sense of the words do we believe even that to be true, because it would not have been possible for this colony to have attained its present magnitude except as the centre and head-quarters of a larger trade than it could ever have carried on itself alone. Speculations of this kind are difficult and uncertain, because in saying, if so and so had happened, this or that would have been ensued, one is apt to lose sight of some condition which would have modified the result very materially. People see ships going to and fro between Europe and America and the various China ports, without touching at Hongkong, and they conclude that all this trade would have been driven through the colony if the ports had never been opened. Some of it probably would have been so driven (to the inconvenience of foreign merchants, if it naturally flowed in other channels), but the larger part would never have been called into existence at all. With only one port in China the trade would have remained very much what it was in the beginning, a little close preserve where a few men who had taken possession of the cover might make tremendous bags, but which could never be thought of for a moment as a fair field for a large number of sportsmen.

We are very far from saying the more ports open the better. Perhaps there may be more open now than the trade can support; certainly there are more than can be worked on the principle which has been attempted in China with such signal ill-success, the maintenance of establishments at each port by each firm. Looking back on the causes which have operated injuriously on the prosperity of foreign trade in China during the last year or two, it is impossible to leave out of the calculation the cost of the multiplied establishments which the great houses have chosen to keep up at the various ports. We have heard it stated, for instance, that the aggregate expense of all the establishments kept up by Messrs. DENT and Co. was two lakhs per annum, and without being at all sure of these figures, it is at any rate manifest that when bad seasons come round, as they must to all firms occasionally, such expenses are a terrible weight to carry. While China is regarded as one place, the whole of which must be embraced in the operations of any firm which wants to enter the trade at all, it would be nearer the truth to say the fewer, rather than the more, ports open the better. But already the system has given way to some extent; there are many firms peculiar to different ports, some of which are only established in Hongkong or Shanghai, or Foochow, and that is undoubtedly the soundest system,—the plan capable of the widest expansion, and providing for the "greatest happiness of the greatest number" much more effectually than the old arrangement, by which a few colossal firms made great fortunes. When people talk about the future prospects of the China trade, they take bright or gloomy views very much according to whether they think prosperity indicated by the magnitude of the largest half-dozen fortunes which may be made in it, or by the number of people engaged in various ways and getting on moderately well. If the houses with branches at every port become the rare exceptions, and Hongkong grows to be a cluster of firms doing business partly with Chinese, and partly with other clusters of European firms at other ports, no one will then be inclined to think that the ports are ruining the original centre of the trade. Indeed, the state of things referred to, has in a great measure come about already. The houses which ramify all over the empire and in Japan, can be counted on the fingers, but in the sympathy and regret felt for some which have ceased to exist, in the depression of spirits caused by some of the failures which have taken place, people can only see the gloomy side of the transformation, and will not readily believe in the possibility that a new order of things containing the seeds of a more popular prosperity than has yet been seen in China, may be slowly evolving itself from the temporary chaos.

Meanwhile, whether this new era is just at hand or some way off still, there can be no doubt that the oldest era of all in which one port could monopolise all the trade which was done between China and the rest of the world, is utterly gone, and can never return either for good or evil. Hongkong must share the trade with other places, and it is no use to base a policy on a regret, to say that we will do nothing towards cultivating improved relations with the Chinese, because the ports have been opened and have broken down our monopoly. They are open and cannot be shut up again, even if that were desirable, and Hongkong must look to getting on through the general improvement of trade all over the country. Whether or not it is true that if the ports had not been opened the colony would have been better off, it is at any rate certain that as the ports are open, the better off they are, the better for us too. This colony is in some measure the central office for the China trade, and as a free port, which is at the same time the first point of arrival for European news, it must always be more or less concerned with everything doing on any part of the coast. Hongkong must always be the great entrepot of China, and the more business is done at the ports, the more goods will be drawn thence, and the more come in to supply the vacancy. Broadly, it is just as much our interest as it is that of any other community in China, to obtain improved concessions from the native Government, secure the fulfilment of previous engagements, and cultivate a policy of progress.

Police Intelligence, August 8th.

BEFORE E. W. GOODLAKE, Esq.

There was rather a thin attendance in the dock of the police court this morning, caused no doubt by the inclement weather thieves as well as police having their ardour damped by the copious showers of the previous night. The charge-sheet, however, contained the usual assortment of cases.

ASSAULT.

A very respectable-looking Chinaman who described himself as a shoemaker by trade, and had only been in the colony a few weeks, was on his way to the Chinese Theatre in Tung-mun-lane, on Wednesday evening, when he was attacked by the prisoner Wong-a-chut, and only got away by calling police, who immediately made their appearance, and succeeded in arresting the prisoner.

The P. C. corroborated this statement.

The prisoner in defence stated that he was a shoemaker, and that on Wednesday evening, while in Tung-mun lane, the complainant and a number of others rushed upon him, and demanded 10 taels in silver, as his initiation fee for joining the Shoemakers' Guild. Refusing to pay the sum they called police, and gave him in charge. James Hurst, a warden in the gaol, identified the prisoner as an old gaol-bird, who had already served a couple of terms of 12 months' each for larceny from person, and was only released about six months since.

His Worship told the prisoner that he did not believe a word of his story, and therefore sentenced him to one month's imprisonment with hard labour, and to receive 20 lashes, and he was furthermore to find sureties in $100 each for future good conduct.

LARCENY.

Lee-a-poo, a young scamp about 14 or 15 years of age, on Wednesday afternoon snatched an umbrella from a man who was engaged making a purchase from a hawker, and ran away. P. C. No. 463 saw him running with the umbrella in his hand and the complainant giving chase, and accordingly seized him.

The prisoner denied the charge, stating that he had no umbrella when arrested, but was accidentally pushed against the complainant, and the latter beat him, so he ran away, and was arrested by the constable. One of the gaol wardens identified the prisoner as having been in gaol before, and had been flogged once or twice. His Worship sentenced him to one month's imprisonment with hard labour, and to find two sureties in $100 each.

REMANDED CASES.

The two boat coolies charged with stealing a spy glass from Messrs. McEwen & Co. on Tuesday last, were again brought up this morning; the police, however, were unable to bring any further evidence or to find the glass.

His Worship, taking into consideration the evidence taken on the first hearing of the case, sentenced the second prisoner to three months' imprisonment and two weeks' solitary confinement; the first prisoner was discharged.

Tung-a-lum, the boy who was arrested on Tuesday last with a bundle of female clothing. The police succeeded in finding the owner of the clothing, a Mrs. Herbart, who deposed that on Monday night there was stolen from her room a box of clothing, of which those now in court are a portion.

The defendant being asked if he had any witnesses, called one Sun-a-lin, who said that he was acquainted with the boy, but no relation, and that he saw a man give the boy a bundle of clothes to take and pawn for him; he was very near to the parties and could distinctly hear what was going on. He was also the party that had gone bail for the prisoner.

The police constable corroborated his former evidence, but His Worship, doubting some of the testimony of the parties, further remanded the case until Tuesday next.

NO PASSES.

Cheong-a-sin, a villainous-looking Chinaman, charged with being out without a pass at night, and who said he was a stone-cutter and only washing himself, but which statement was denied by the constable who arrested him, was sentenced to 14 days' hard labour. His Worship also admonished him, and said that there was a robbery committed in the night, and that he hoped he was not among the thieves.

English Manners.

The "Flaneur" of the *Morning Star* (Edmund Yates) writes:—"The chord struck by the *Pall Mall Gazette* has been vibrating ever since, and has found echo in most of the leading journals. Some have touched upon the question of the urgent necessity for the return of the Queen to society, to restore its tone, and save it from the taint of *demi-monde*-ism, with which it has recently been inoculated; while others have denied the existence of such a state of things as that proclaimed by our contemporary, and denounced the statement as too general and sweeping. We would ask these last-named writers to recall, if they are unhappily old enough to do so, the *tempus actum* of which we are *laudatores,* and to contrast it with the present day. In the language of Mr. Snagsby, 'not to put too fine a point upon it,' we would ask them to go back no further than the season before the outbreak of the Crimean war, and to picture to themselves Kensington Gardens on a band day. There were probably not half the number of people who now throng the drive and number the end of the row, but they were infinitely better bred and infinitely better mannered. Not only in America has the influence of 'shoddy' made itself felt; there are *novi homines* in England who have done something equivalent to 'striking ile,' something in boiler-making, in iron-smelting, in railroad contracting—something, in fact, which sends the ex-woollen draper or boiler maker into Parliament as Conservative member for a close borough, sends his wife into the park in a splendid barouche, and puts both sons into the Junior Carlton. Half of these good people were 'lamp-faced rogues' at their 'counter and till' in the year '50. Then to smoke in the daylight was to stamp yourself a cad; now cloud-compelling Aldershot puffeth it where it listeth, and thus above the heads of the frequenters of the drive hang wreaths as thick as those which decorate a Dutchman's Lustgarten or a Studentenkneipe. Then ladies were treated by English gentlemen with a courtesy which had nothing in the world for its equal, nor French gesticulation, nor German stiffness, nor Italian pantomime. '*Quant à moi je suis gentilhomme Anglais,*' said Mr. Kinglake's hero, Lord Raglan, on a memorable occasion; but the 'General with a half-empty coat-sleeve' would scarcely, one fancies, care about what passes for the '*gentilhomme Anglais*' of the present day. Then royalty was received upstanding, uncovered, and with every demonstration, every quiet demonstration of respect; now if one is to credit what one hears, the first gentleman in England, by his position, goes into his club, and his coevals, not troubling themselves to remove their hats, acknowledge his presence with familiar nods."

Disraeli at the Trinity House.

On the 22nd of June, the Brethren of the Trinity gave their annual dinner. After the usual loyal and patriotic toasts, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, returning thanks for "Her Majesty's Ministers," said:—

Deputy Master, my Lords, and Gentlemen,—I need not assure you that Her Majesty's Ministers must be much gratified by the manner in which you have received the proposition of their healths this day, and not the less so because, as our Deputy-Master has very properly observed, on such occasions as the present their health is given, not as an appeal to party feeling on the peculiar opinions which any class of Her Majesty's subjects may hold, but to the respect and good feeling of the great body of the people who appreciate the efforts of the public servants of the Crown who endeavour, whatever the principles under which they work, to do their duty to their Sovereign and their country. (Cheers.) And, indeed, I can assure you that to us it must be much more satisfactory that you should receive such a toast in the manner you have done to-day, totally devoid of any party associations, than if it were received on some occasion when we had met together to celebrate the triumph of party, or the patronage or propagation of any particular set of political opinions. After all, it is in the respect of our well-considering fellow-subjects that we must receive our best reward for any exertions we can possibly make; and it is to the calm verdict of the unimpassioned portion of the nation that we must appeal for our best justification. (Cheers.) When Her Majesty's Government acceded to power they acceded to an inheritance of great labour and great responsibility, that under all circumstances must be the inheritance of all who undertake those duties. With regard to what we may have done, the policy of this country may, generally speaking, be divided into two heads—the management of our foreign relations and the conduct of our home Government. With regard to the management of our foreign relations, I would not allude to them unless I thought that I was echoing not only the universal opinion of all Englishmen, but of the subjects of all countries (cheers), that my noble friend near me (cheers), by his prudent and sagacious management of affairs, has secured the peace of Europe. (Loud cheers.) My noble friend is descended from a race who had something to do with the history of this country in the time of that King Henry VII. to whom the Deputy-Master has referred (cheers), and I will be bold to say that not one of his ancestors ever did a braver or finer act than that he achieved when he signed his name to the late treaty made at London and which secured the peace of Europe. (Cheers.) With regard to our domestic politics, I shrink from any allusion which may for a moment excite anything like controversy—I won't say of expression, but even of feeling. I studiously avoid it. Our Deputy-Master has referred to my humble efforts during the session. They have been made where, quoting the words of the song last sung,

"The stormy winds do blow."

(Loud cheers and laughter.) I can say for the policy of Her Majesty's Government, in one sentence, that if with reference to foreign affairs it is a policy to maintain the peace of Europe, so, with regard to our domestic affairs, our policy is to secure the peace of England. (Cheers.) It is with that view that we have felt it our duty to introduce that great measure to which the Deputy-Master has referred; and all I will say of it on the present occasion is that I hope, as I believe, that it will conduce to the advantage of this country (cheers), that it will strengthen the State and add to the spirit of the community. (Cheers.) It is to us a matter of great satisfaction that Her Majesty's Government should be remembered on an occasion like the present, and especially in this assembly. (Cheers.) The relations of the Government of this country with the Trinity-house are of long date. For many generations their most eminent members have been numbered among the brethren of this society, and it is most satisfactory to them that they should be connected with a corporation which is identified with one of the noblest of our public services in all its branches, upon whose efforts the prosperity of our commerce mainly depends, and which by its accuracy of scientific knowledge has added so much to the security of this country, has diminished the perils and has mitigated the *sufferings of the mariners of England.* (Cheers.) I hope the connexion between Her Majesty's Government, from whatever party they may be formed, and this ancient and honourable corporation will be permanent. (Cheers.) I am convinced that if that be the case they will be bound together by associations which are connected with the highest interests of the country. (Cheers.) For my part, I remember, with pride that I am one, though one of the humblest, of your brethren—(cheers)—and that I have succeeded in the office I hold some of the most eminent men who have been responsible for the administration of the country. (Cheers.) On the part of Her Majesty's Government I acknowledge with cordiality the honour you have done them; and I can assure you with sincerity that the consciousness that we possess your esteem and good wishes, whatever may be your political opinions, is the best reward we can receive for the performance of our public duties, and the highest inducement we can have to do our duty to our Sovereign and our country. (Loud cheers.)

Army Administration.

An able article on Army Reform appears in the new number of *Fraser's Magazine.* It is chiefly occupied with a consideration of the system on which justice is administered in the army. The question has been often ventilated, and the evils of the system are notorious; but anything like reform is so hopeless, except through the pressure of public opinion upon the military authorities, that it is worth while to keep attention fixed upon the subject. We have only to consider what an ordinary criminal court would be if constituted in the same way as a regimental court-martial to appreciate the absurdity and injustice of the latter tribunal. Conceive a court in which the office of judge is dispensed with, and three, or perhaps five, jurymen, after hearing the evidence for the prosecution laid before them by a superintendent of police, in the presence of the prisoner unaided by counsel, not only find the verdict, but pass the sentence, the only appeal being to the magistrate who had committed him for trial—neither that magistrate nor any of the members of the court having as a rule any knowledge of law or the assistance of any lawyer. Under the most favourable circumstances, it is impossible that such a tribunal could do its work satisfactorily; it could hardly avoid mistakes on one side or the other. But we must remember that the men who compose it are not only generally ignorant of law, but apt to be more or less prejudiced against the prisoner, or else eager only to get through the work as quickly as they can. "The *proceedings of regimental courts-martial,*" says the writer in *Fraser,* "are generally hurried over in the most indecent manner. A captain is regarded by the subalterns of his regiment as a good or a bad President of a court-martial according to the rapidity with which he can dispose of the cases before him." No doubt courts-martial are not wilfully and consciously unjust, but their notion usually appears to be that the fact of the prisoner being before them is pretty good evidence of his guilt, and that, in fact, they have been called together only to give a formal sanction to the finding which has been already come to by the commanding officer. The conduct of the commanding officers is too often such as to confirm this view—a finding which is not agreeable to him being frequently returned to the court. "We have known cases," says the writer in question, "where the commanding officer has sent for the members of a regimental court-martial, and has administered to them a personal rebuke for their finding a sentence, disregarding the fact that they were sworn to act according to their consciences on oath. And we know of one case—it has happened very recently, and for the credit of the army we hope it stands alone—where the commanding officer refused to give any leave to the officers who had come to a finding contrary to his opinion, and actually ordered them to serve on all regimental courts-martial till further notice!"—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

The Swedenborgians are making a great many proselytes in London, and are erecting a place of worship at Camberwell at a cost of 2,000*l.*

The Queen of Spain has abandoned her intention of being present at the coming festival in Rome. This is in consequence of indirect remonstrances addressed to the Court of Spain on behalf of the Italian Government, which was probably apprehensive lest the presence of so Catholic a potentate as Queen Isabella, and the demonstrations it was likely to excite on the part of the clerical party, might provoke the party of action to some imprudent step.—*Times.*

Lord Romilly and "Official Liquidators."

The condition of the business in the Court of Chancery requires an immediate increase in the staff of officers attached to the Chambers of the Master of the Rolls and the three Vice-Chancellors, and it is satisfactory to see that Lord Chelmsford has recognised this necessity. Complaints are continually reaching the public of the delay and vexation caused by the pressure of business in the Chambers of the Chancery Judges, arising principally out of the numerous Winding-up cases now before the Courts.

The discussion on the Court of Chancery (Officers) Bill, which took place last night, has elicited from Lord Romilly a suggestion which we venture to predict will not be looked upon with favour. Lord Romilly complains "that the Court has no power in choosing the person who should act as official liquidator of a company except from the two or three persons put forward by the parties, and in many cases only one person was nominated." His Lordship proceeds to propose the insertion in the Bill of a clause making it lawful to appoint ten or twelve persons who should be appointed official liquidators, and that the official liquidator in each case should be selected from that body. Part of the reason assigned for this suggestion consists in the fact that, although security is always given by official liquidators, yet that it is often inadequate to cover the amount which passes through their hands. Now, if the gentlemen who are under existing circumstances nominated to these appointments, find it difficult to procure sufficient security for one appointment, in what manner shall we make a selected body of men provide further security than they are able to provide as individuals? Surely it is not proposed to make these ten or twelve selected liquidators responsible interchangeably for the defaults of each other. To do so would be to establish what we apprehend Lord Romilly aims at, namely, a department of official liquidators—a body of men who, in consequence of their heavy responsibilities, must be paid by permanent salary, and become entitled to compensation upon the diminution of the present pressure and consequent abolition of their office. Moreover, the Court possesses in fact the means of procuring better security for the proper performance of the duties of official liquidators than it could have in the event of their becoming permanent officers of the Court. In case of any malversation of funds the Court can now come upon the sureties, but in the proposed case of a department the Court must, in the first instance, at least, make the amount good out of its own funds, and look to the chapter of accidents to recoup itself. In making the appointment of official liquidators, it is perfectly competent to the Court to require any number of names to be proposed, and it is not limited to accepting one of the two or three presented for its acceptance.

Lord Cairns, in opposing the proposal of Lord Romilly, puts the matter in a light which is easily appreciated; he says, that "to make such appointments would be difficult without creating vested rights, and giving rise to future claims for compensation." The present machinery for making these appointments is not only efficient, but it is, we believe, the best that can be employed. Each person appointed is required to give large security, and in fixing the amount of this the Court is not limited; he is fully amenable to the Court, which may bind his actions by special rules and conditions; and he is in a measure a temporary officer of the Court, without having on the expiration of his office any further claim in the nature of compensation or otherwise.—*Globe.*

La Forza del Destino.

Verdi's opera of *La Forza del Destino,* composed for and produced at St. Petersburg five years since, was brought out for the first time in England at Her Majesty's Theatre on June 22. The opera, founded on one of those horrible stories of crime and bloodshed which alone seem to stimulate Verdi's imagination, contains much cleverly-written concerted music, although but few effective solo pieces. The plot, according to the "argument" of the opera book, is as follows: The Marquis of Calatrava has a son, Carlos, and a daughter, Leonora. She is sought in marriage by a young noble, Don Alvaro, but it is said Indian blood runs in his veins, and the proud hidalgo rejects his suit. Leonora loves him and consents to become his bride. The marquis discovers their design and endeavours to frustrate it. A pistol in the hand of Alvaro is accidentally discharged and fatally wounds the marquis. He dies, cursing Leonora. In the ensuing confusion Alvaro is wounded and Leonora escapes. Each imagines the other dead. Leonora, stricken with remorse, and dreading her brother's vengeance, in disguise seeks a refuge as a penitent amongst the cliffs of Gornachuelos. Carlos, foiled in his search after his sister and his father's murderer, enters the army engaged in Italy. He is there rescued (under an assumed name) from assassins at the gaming-table, by the pride of the army, Don Frederic Herreros. They swear eternal friendship. In a victorious sortie Don Frederic is severely wounded. He requests his new friend, in the event of his death, to burn his papers. The suspicions of Carlos are aroused, and a portrait of Leonora confirms them. Don Frederic Herreros is the long-sought Don Alvaro. On his recovery, Carlos declares his name, challenges, and falls wounded. Broken-hearted, Alvaro resolves to dedicate his life to heaven. He quits Italy and takes refuge in the severest monastery in Spain, under the name of Fra Rafael. Still thirsting for revenge, his enemy pursues him. Taunts and threats are uttered in vain, till a blow awakens his fury, and they fight in a valley amidst the rocks adjoining the convent. Carlos is mortally wounded. He prays for priestly aid. The blood-stained Alvaro dare not shrive him; he remembers the recluse, and summons him from his cell. He comes, and Alvaro recognizes his long-lost Leonora. The sight of the lovers' meeting arouses the fast expiring Don Carlos, and he plunges his dagger into his sister's heart. The monks, alarmed by the tolling of the hermitage bell, arrive to find the corses of the Chevalier and the hapless Leonora, and Fra Rafael a raving maniac. He precipitates himself from the rocks, whilst the horror-stricken monks pray for heaven's mercy on the "Victims of Destiny." The work was brought out with great care and attention to stage effect. The interior of an inn with the assemblage of muleteers and other guests; and the scene of the military encampment, with its well-ordered yet apparently uncontrolled multitudes of soldiers and camp followers, were capital specimens of stage management. Very effective, too, were the scene of the church, with its adjoining convent, and the final rocky valley, with its gloom fitfully irradiated by flashes of electric light. In spite of the repulsive nature of the story, the merit of the music caused the opera to be very favourably received; and the encores were numerous. As to the execution of the music, nothing could be better. It is scarcely possible to imagine any finer performance of the parts of Leonora, Preziosilla, Don Alvaro, and Don Carlo, than was realized by Mdlle. Titiens, Mme. Trebelli-Bettini, Signor Mongini, and Mr. Santley; while the subordinate characters of Curra, Trabuco, a Surgeon, and an Alcaide were generally well filled by Mdlle. Bauermeister, Mr. Hohler, Signori Foli, and Casaboni; other still smaller parts falling to Signori Manfredi and Bertacchi.—*Overland Mail.*

The Archbishop of York has laid before the House of Lords a bill striking a blow at pew-rents. It provides permission and authority for the legal surrender to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners of all rights in pews in district churches where persons are so disposed, so that in future they may be subject as pews of ancient parish churches.

PETITIONING REDUCED TO FIRST PRINCIPLES.—On Thursday evening (June 20th) as the Emperor was driving in an open carriage down the Champs Elysées, on his return from a visit to the Prince Imperial at St. Cloud, and just as he reached the Avenue Marigny, an Arab, who had been waiting on the spot for some time, started forward holding up a large envelope in his hand. The Emperor saw him and beckoned him forward, but he could not, after running for some time, overtake the carriage. Two of the gendarmes who usually patrol the avenue at that hour to keep the way clear, arrested the Arab. On a sign from the Emperor the carriage stopped, the man came forward, and deposited his petition, or whatever it was, in the Emperor's hands. He then retired, and the carriage drove on to the Tuileries. Some groups were collected on the spot, hearing that something was the matter. They dispersed when it was known that it was only a petitioner who took this mode of making his wishes known to his Majesty.—*Times.*

The Luxembourg Papers.

The final papers on the Luxembourg affair, presented to Parliament this week, place four or five questions, which a month ago were of the the highest importance, beyond dispute. But that which chiefly concerns us in England is that relating to the guarantee. Now it appears from these papers that Lord Stanley was from the first ready to guarantee Luxembourg as completely as we guarantee Belgium, a guarantee which, as he himself publicly acknowledged in his place in Parliament, is of the gravest and most direct kind. This was, moreover, the view taken by the Prussian Government, for, on the 26th April Count Bismark telegraphs to his own Ambassador, "Prussia is prepared to concede the evacuation and the razing of the fortress if the Conference expresses as the result of its discussions the wish that she should do so, and at the same time gives an European guarantee for the neutrality of Luxembourg, such as now exists in the case of Belgium." On 4th May Count Bismark refused to accept a draft of possible terms suggested by Lord Stanley, in which the guarantee was omitted, and on 7th May Lord A. Loftus was compelled to forward to Lord Stanley the following clear and explicit demand:—"I had an interview with Count Bismark this day, and referred in conversation with his Excellency to the question of a guarantee for the neutrality of the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg. I explained to his Excellency the objections which Her Majesty's Government entertained to contracting a new guarantee, and I suggested to his Excellency whether some article similar to that recorded in the Treaty of 1863 respecting the Ionian Islands would not fully meet the exigencies required. His Excellency read Article II. of the Treaty referred to, which I had placed in his hands, and observed that it contained no intrinsic guarantee, but merely implied a moral engagement that each contracting party for itself would respect the principle of guarantee therein recorded. This his Excellency observed, would not be of any value for the case of Luxembourg; and Prussia must demand a more complete safeguard for the German frontier, which could only be afforded by an European guarantee." The whole intention and object of the arrangement is to guarantee Luxembourg as Belgium is guaranteed; and Lord Derby, therefore, in stating that the guarantee is merely "collective," reads it in a sense entirely different from that understood by Count von Bismark. We stand pledged to Prussia, in her opinion at all events, to protect the German frontier if invaded at that point, a pledge frightfully dangerous to keep, and distinctly immoral to break. We are either to admit that our pledges are worthless, or take part in a war without reference to possible interests, sympathies, or position. This is, as it seems to us, the reason for distrusting the applause which Lord Stanley has received for his management of the Luxembourg affair, applause due, we suspect, at least as much to impatience of our late attitude of isolation as to pleasure in the management itself. We may allow, though it is not certain, that he prevented war. The Prussian Government having once become nervous as to the immensity of the issues at stake—and between the 15th and 27th April they clearly had become nervous—might, had Lord Stanley been more determined, have conceded the evacuation without the guarantee; but still they might not, and Lord Stanley is entitled to the credit of having secured peace. But he *bought* the peace, and bought it at an immense price, an obligation to take a share in the next war between Germany and France, a share undefined as to extent, object, or alliances. That he is aware of this is evident from the sort of struggle he made to keep out of any definite obligation, first dropping the guarantee without remark, then suggesting the Ionian form, and finally yielding to the Belgian, which he and Count Bismark equally think the most complete of all. He knew perfectly well that he was immensely increasing the national obligations, guaranteeing in the strongest way a new territory, a new territory exposed to the greatest danger of irruption, and finally, a new and exposed territory, for which without the guarantee no British Government would expend a man or a penny-piece. Peace may be worth that tremendous price, though we do not think it is, but at least let us not belaud Lord Stanley for having obtained it gratis. His grand desire was to tide over the present difficulty without thinking too much of future embarrassments—a desire in private life we do not call statesmanship.—*Spectator.*

The Birmingham Riots.

We now subjoin a detailed account of these disgraceful proceedings:—

The first step was the delivery of a lecture by Mr. Murphy on the "Errors of Romanism." This announcement, in itself, was innocent enough, but Mr. Murphy's antecedents are unfortunately not of a peaceable order. He is a belligerent controversialist, whose presence acts on a certain class as a red rag is said to do on an excited turkey. He is, in fact, like his countryman at Donnybrook, who trails his coat defiantly before the toes of his adversaries, and dares them to tread upon it. He applied to the Mayor for the use of the Town Hall, but remembering the disturbances to which Murphy's "lectures" gave rise at Wolverhampton Wednesbury and other towns, his worship refused to grant the hall for such a purpose. Murphy's fanatical supporters thereupon put up a "tabernacle" of wood, said to be big enough to hold 3,000 persons. Three o'clock on Sunday, June 16th, was the time fixed for the first service, and at that hour the place was tolerably well filled with persons who had been admitted by ticket. Murphy said before he had finished his lectures he would prove to the people of Birmingham that every Popish priest was a murderer, a cannibal, a liar, and a pickpocket. Colonel Brookman delivered an address to show that the Virgin Mary was a Protestant, and not a Roman Catholic. Outside the "tabernacle," during the whole afternoon and evening, the offended Irish women as well men were in great force; stones were thrown, and the police, all but overpowered, were compelled to use their cutlasses; with these weapons they made running charges, but it was not until between five and six o'clock, when the police had been largely reinforced, that they got the upper hand of the mob; by that time several had been taken to the hospitals, and five-and-twenty rioters had been taken into custody. The house of the father of the secretary of the Local Protestant Association, situate close to the "tabernacle," was assailed by the mob; the windows were all broken, and some of the furniture much damaged. In the course of the evening the Mayor and some of the magistrates visited the scene, as did also one or two of the Roman Catholic priests, by whom the crowd were exhorted to be peaceful. Until a late hour the streets were in possession of an excited mob. On Monday the riots continued, and matters grew more desperate. The Riot Act was read, the military were called out, and more military were telegraphed for. A soldier in the 8th Hussars was hurt in Park-street. A policeman was so dangerously wounded that his life is despaired of. Two whole streets were sacked, and a Roman Catholic Chapel attacked and much damaged. Bands of men armed with staves went about the streets, which were in a state of utter disorder, and so continued up to half-past twelve at night. In the course of the morning a deputation, consisting of Colonel Brookman, president of the Protestant Electoral Union, Mr. Whalley, M.P., the Rev. Dr. Armstrong, rector of Burslem, and Mr. Steele, waited upon the borough magistrates, twenty-one of whom were assembled in the council chamber, and stated that Mr. Murphy was authorized and employed by them. The Mayor said the bench held Mr. Murphy morally, if not legally, responsible for the riots, and he ventured to go further, and to say that as Mr. Whalley and Colonel Brookman and others had acknowledged that Mr. Murphy was employed by a society with which they were connected, and as they were cognizant of Mr. Murphy's doings, and the spirit in which he proceeded, and they abetted him, the responsibility of what had occurred, and what might occur thereafter, rested upon them as well as upon Mr. Murphy himself. The Rev. Dr. Armstrong presided at Mr. Murphy's evening lecture on Monday, and in his opening address said he had been told by his friends that if he went there his brains would be blown out; but he told them it was his duty to fulfil the engagement he had made, and if it were at the risk of his life, he would not shrink from his duty. He would not shun death if required in the cause of Jesus Christ. He would twenty times rather die a martyr to his protest against iniquity than expire quietly on his bed. Mr. Whalley, M.P., next addressed the meeting, and was followed by Mr. Murphy, the staple of whose discourse was abuse of the Mayor for refusing him the Town-hall. Tuesday night went over without any renewal of the disturbance. Soon after midnight a detachment of more than 100 men—54th Infantry—arrived from Manchester. They were marched to the Town-hall, and on Wednesday morning the police was augmented by the arrival of detachments from adjacent towns. It is said that the Irish were the rioters on Sunday and Monday. On Tuesday, having sacked the houses of the poor Irish in Park-street, the Protestant "party of order" marched up and down the street, armed with fragments of window-shutters, wainscoating, chairs and tables, bedsteads, &c., and singing the "Glory Hallelujah," "John Brown's chorus." In other streets partial but considerable damage was done; attempts to renew the disturbances on Tuesday evening were quickly put down, but Murphy discoursed again; the Rev. W. Cassall, Wesleyan minister, Walsall, in the chair. The following is a sample of his harangue. He said:—"If the Catholic priests have the power to make God Almighty out of a bit of bread, they must be the greatest impostors in the world to ask money from the people, for they have only to say 'hocus-pocus' over sixpences, and they will become sovereigns. This would be a much easier thing than to make God Almighty out of a bit of bread. When all the praties were black in Ireland, why didn't the priests say the 'hocus-pocus' over them, and make them all good again?" In another part of his harangue he said:—"Away with the mass; leave it to the moles and bats. It is from the bottomless pit, and in the bottomless pit shall liars have their part, in the fire that burneth with fire and brimstone." Several fresh arrests were made on Tuesday night; the magistrates were engaged all Wednesday in dealing with the numerous cases to come before them. On Wednesday night and Thursday there was no renewal of disturbance, nor was there fear of any, and with perfect freedom of access the public was furnishing but thin attendance upon Murphy's lectures. On Friday evening Mr. Murphy delivered his lecture on the "Confessional." The "tabernacle" was densely crowded. It was rumoured that nearly 6,000 tickets of admission had been sold. Mr. Hardy said on Thursday night, in the House of Commons, in answer to a question from Mr. Whalley, that he had instructed the Mayor of Birmingham that, blamable as Murphy's language was, it was not in itself criminal, and gave no ground for a criminal prosecution.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

Arrival of the "Norna."

The P. & O. Steamer *Norna,* from Singapore August 2nd and Bombay July 21st, brings the following late telegrams:—

LONDON, 2nd July.

In the House of Commons last night, Sir Stafford Northcote, in replying to a question put by Mr. Otway, said that Captain Jervis would receive £1,800 from the Indian Government as the value of his commission. Mr. Brett's motion for the production of the Papers connected with the *Simla* Court Martial was consequently not brought forward.

LONDON, 5th July.

Prussia and Russia have granted a concession for a new telegraph route to India *viâ* the Black Sea, in conjunction with the Persian Gulf as a special line between England and India. Another Company is also forming for a line to India *viâ* Gibraltar.

LONDON, 5th July.

To-day's *Times* contains another strong article on the Orissa Famine.

LONDON, 11th July.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed steady. The Bank of England returns issued to-day, show an increase of £250,000 in the reserve of Notes.

LONDON, 12th July.

The Liverpool cotton market opens quiet and unchanged. Total week's sales, 58,375 bales; Imports of the week 74,500; stock of cotton 750,000 bales. The Manchester Cotton Market to-day closed flat, 7 lb. Shirtings 9s. 3d.; 8½ lb. 11s. 6d.; 40 Banner Mule Twist 1s. 3½d.

LONDON, 13th July.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed quiet and prices drooping. Government Securities 4 per cent. 88½; 5 per cent. 103½; 5½ per cent. 108½.

LONDON, 15th July.

Latest Telegrams from Russia announce that the Russians have gained brilliant victories over the Bokharians near Samarkand.

LONDON, 16th July.

In the House of Commons last night Sir S. Northcote, in replying to Colonel Sykes, denied the rumored expedition to Abyssinia to carry out measures of force, and stated that the contemplated negotiations for the release of the captives were progressing. Sir S. Northcote produces the Orissa Famine despatch next week. The Reform Bill passed yesterday after a prolonged and animated debate. The Sultan visited the Prince of Wales and the Italian Opera in state, yesterday.

LONDON, 17th July.

In the the House of Commons last night Sir S. Northcote said, in replying to Professor Fawcett, that the expense of the Ball given to the Sultan of Turkey and the Viceroy of Egypt would be charged to the Indian Revenue, because the Ball was given by the Council of India as a separate Government, to shew respect to the Sultan and Viceroy and to mark its appreciation of the services they had rendered to India. Latest advices from Paris state that a great debate took place yesterday in the Corps Legislatif regarding the Luxemburg Question.

LONDON, 17th July.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed improving.

LONDON, 18th July (Afternoon).

The Viceroy of Egypt, owing to previous engagements, was unable to attend the Fete given at the East India Office and left London yesterday.

LONDON, 19th July.

The Liverpool Cotton Market opens steady.
Total week's sales 76,760 bales
" " Import 55,375 "
" stock of cotton 730,000 "

LONDON, 18th July.

The Great Naval Review in honor of the Sultan of Turkey took place yesterday at Spithead. Forty-nine men-of-war composed the Fleet, but the Review was marred by a gale. Her Majesty the Queen invested the Sultan of Turkey with the Order of the Garter, on board the Royal yacht. The Emperor Napoleon has ordered the addition of ten Companies to each of the Infantry Regiments, and twenty-three Batteries of Artillery.

LONDON, 19th July.

The Ball in honor of Belgian Volunteers was very magnificent. His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales and 800 others were present. At the Grand Entertainment given in Guildhall by the Lord Mayor of London to the Sultan of Turkey, the latter expressed his gratitude to the Queen, the Prince of Wales, and the English Nation for the hearty reception he had met with.

GALLE, July 19th.

Heat in the North-West of India 105 at midnight. Officers and soldiers dying of apoplexy. Captives in Abyssinia have filed their fetters and were escaping when discovered—two flogged and nearly dead. Captain Jervis gets £1,800 for his Commission. Indian officers severely wounded by a trooper on parade. Great battle imminent in Cabool. Bank of Bombay resuscitated—no amalgamation.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

Hongkong, Thursday Evening.

The Opium market has been rather dull to-day, rates have further declined and the market close weak. Only a limited amount of business have been doing in New Patna at $642½ for both cash, and on time, and sales are reported of Eight Sales Drug as low as $641¼. In other descriptions there has been scarley anything done. The closing quotation are. New Patna $641¼ to $642½ both cash and on time. New Benares $627½ to $630, Malwa $745.

In the Import market the feature of to-day has been the disposal by auction of a further quantity of the damaged cargoes lately arrived. 25 bales of 8/4-lbs. Grey Shirtings so placed averaged $3.34 per piece; these however, were very badly damaged, but notwithstanding this the price shows a comparative decline insound goods, a parellel quotation for which could hardly be above $3.45. 47 bales 6-lbs. T-Cloths were also offered, and realized an average price of $2.32 per piece. These were also badly damaged, but the market nevertheless appears to have materially declined. Beyond these sales there has been nothing doing with the exception of the movement in Cotton, which has been a little more animated to-day. Sales include 826 bales Bengal Staple at $18.50 to $21.25, and 40 bales Tientsin at $23.00. There is some inquiry for Flour just at present, but the market is well

supplied from recent arrivals, and the demand is readily met. There is little else doing in the Produce market. Sales include 2,300 quarter-sacks Flour $1.58 to $1.60, 1,000 bags Sugar at $7.00, 6,000 piculs Saigon Rice at $1.50, 200 piculs Green Peas at $3.10, 200 piculs Rattans at $4.30, 120 pigs Malacca Tin at $21.60, and 100 flasks Quicksilver at $66.50. The Share market is without any marked movement. There have been sales of old Hongkong and Whampoa Dock at 28 per cent. premium. New are quoted at 18 per cent. premium with buyers. There are seller of both old and new Bank Shares at 1¼ and 1 cent. discount respectively. There are also sellers; of Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat at 15 per cent. discount; China Traders Insurance are quoted $70 premium, with buyers.

We learn that at the coming half-yearly meeting of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, the direction will be ready to declare a dividend of $7.50 on the paid-up Shares and $1.50 on new Shares. This will will represent 21¼ per cent. on the capital for a period of 28 months, or from the opening of the bank, being an average of $13.69 per cent. per annum net profit. After paying the dividend it is understood that there will be $75,000 to carry to the reserve fund and $15,000 to the credit of new account.

There has been a small business doing in Bullion to-day. Gold has found purchasers at $23.45, and a small lot of Sycee and Bar Silver at former rates. The *Norna* brings 366 chests Malwa Opium, 1,108 bales of Cotton, and 26 packages of Sundries.

SALES ON THE 8TH AUGUST, 1867.
As Reported by Chinese.

Foreign Cotton, 85 bales, at $19.50, by foreign merchant to Hop-cheong.
Saigon Rice, 6000 piculs, at $1.58, by Fook-mow-loong by retail.
Malacca Lead, 120 bars, at $21.60, by Fook-mow-loong to travelling merchant.
Black Lead, 100 bars, at $8.80, by Fook-mow-loong to Hongkong merchant.
Japan Mushrooms, 50 cases, at $50.00, by Kwong-hing-yuen to Canton merchant.
Yellow Wax, 10 cases, at $77.00, by Kwong-hing-yuen to travelling merchant.
Medicine, 50 piculs, at $11.20, by Kwong-hing-yuen to Canton merchant.
Cardamons (1st quality), 30 bags, at $3.20, by Yuen-fat-hong to Canton merchant.
Medicine, 15 bags, at $7.80, by Yee-wo-hong to travelling merchant.
Cuttlefish, 30 piculs, at $24.00, by Koong-yue-cheong to Canton merchant.
Flour, 2000 qr.-sacks, at $1.58, by Yee-wo-chong to Hongkong merchant.
Flour, 800 qr.-sacks, at $1.60, by Fook-on-wo to Tye-kee.
Cotton Seeds, 600 piculs, at $0.10, by Kin-cheong-hong to Canton merchant.
Sugar, 1000 bags, at $7.00, by Yuen-foong-hong to foreign merchant.
Red Cloth, 200 pieces, at $3.20, by Wing-cheong-shun to Hongkong merchant.
Rattans, 200 piculs, at $4.30, by Wing-cheong-shun to Hongkong merchant.

COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPT.
Hongkong, August 8th.

OPIUM.—Patna, Case, new, $642½, sales. Benares, Cash, new, $630, sales. Malwa, Cash, $750, good; $740, inferior, quoted.
On time Patna, new, $642½, quoted.
8th Sales Patna, $642½, quoted.
COTTON.—Japan, none; Ningpo, none; Shanghai, &c., $20 to $26; Bengal, $16 to $23; Bombay, $18 to $24, sales.
RICE.—Bengal and Manila, none; Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $1.50 to $2.10, sales.
EXCHANGE.—Bank Bills on Calcutta at 3 days' sight, 220 Rs., at 15 days' sight, 220½ Rs., sales. On Bombay at 3 days' sight, 220½ Rs., sales. On London at 6 months' sight, 4/5; 4 m.s', 4/4½, quoted.
GOLD LEAF.—$23.45, quoted.
SYCEE.—8½ per cent. premium. Bar Silver, 1½ per cent. premium, quoted.
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co.'s Shares, 2 per cent. discount old, sales; 1 per cent. discount new, quoted.
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.'s Shares, 28 per cent. premium old; 18 per cent. premium new, enquired.
Hongkong Gas Co.'s Shares.—Par, quoted.
Union Dock Company's Shares.—25 per cent. discount, sales.
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamer Company's Shares.—15 per cent. discount, enquired.
China Traders' Insurance Co.'s Shares.—$75 per share premium, enquired.

Intimations.

ALL Persons having Claims against the Estate of the late GEORGE WILKINS, and all Persons indebted to the same, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned on or before the 1st of October next.
S. SPEECHLY.
tf 1121 Hongkong, 10th May, 1867.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at CANTON and MACAO. Communications at Macao to be addressed to Mr. E. L. LANGA, H.B.M. Consular Agent there.
GILMAN & Co.
tf Hongkong, 25th April, 1868.

THE MEDICAL-HALL DISPENSARY having been Sold by Public Auction on the 26th July, the Purchaser hereby gives notice that all accounts and liabilities previous to that date will be settled by the late Proprietors, and that the business will be continued in the same Premises under the new management.
3m 1790 Hongkong, 2nd August, 1867.

RETURNED
FROM FORMOSA AND JAPAN.
F. BECHTINGER, M.D., Late Physician attached to the Court of His Imperial Majesty MAXIMILIAN, in Mexico, has returned to Hongkong and will continue to give Medical and Surgical advice in his former Office, *Hollywood Road*, No. 18, from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. daily.
Particular attention to all Surgical Operations and Diseases of the Eye.
Consultation in all Modern Languages.
1m 1735 Hongkong, 26th July, 1867.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEY.

WHO would attend a GYMNASIUM! when half-an-hour at the above exercise is sufficient for the day's Constitutional, combining the necessary exertion of manual labour with the interest attached to a game of skill.
A SODA FOUNTAIN, with the latest cordial drinks (for Teetotallers), continually in play, while the undersigned will be a guarantee for the quality of the stronger drinks supplied, having brought out a choice assortment of Wines and Spirits from England.
EDWARD PARKER,
Late Albion.
tf 1191 Hongkong, 20th May, 1867.

DRY DOCKS, SHANGHAI.

OLD DOCK.

Length on Blocks	340 feet.
Width " "	40 "
Width of Entrance	60 "
Depth of water at Spring tides	18 "
" " at Neap	13 "

The Caisson can be floated out at Neap tides, and the Dock can be pumped dry in Six hours by two Worthington Steam Pumps.

STEAM-BOAT DOCK.

Length on Blocks	350 feet.
Width " "	80 "
Width of Entrance	80 "
Depth of water at Spring tides	12 "
" " Neap "	7 "

The Caisson can be floated out at Neap tides, and the Docks can be pumped dry in Three hours by a powerful Rotary Steam Pump.
The Charges for Dockage are the HONGKONG RATES, and are payable on the Register Tonnage of sailing Vessels, and on the gross tonnage of Steamers.
The Undersigned guarantees the OLD DOCK to have as much depth of water in the entrance at high tide, as any Dock in Shanghai; and will forfeit the amount of one day's dockage to any vessel entering or leaving the Dock for each day of detention caused by less depth of water than advertised.
Any damage occurring to Vessels when under the sole charge of the Dock-Master, hauling in or out of Dock, will be made good by the undersigned;—but he will not be responsible for damages caused by accidents to the Caisson or Dock.
The Dock establishment comprises a FOUNDRY;—BLACKSMITH'S, MACHINE, BOILER, and PATENT SHOPS; SAIL and RIGGING LOFTS; and all branches of work connected with the building or repairing of Iron or Wooden Vessels.
For particulars, apply to
JOHN P. ROBERTS,
Old Dock, Shanghai.
6m 1284 Shanghai, 15th May, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. THOMAS PYKE in our firm ceased on 30th April last, and Mr. GEORGE DENT is authorised to sign our firm from this date.
BULL, PURDON & Co.
1m 1800 Hongkong, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE authority of Mr. GEO. R. LAWRENCE to sign the firm ceased this day.
BULL, PURDON & Co.
Spring Gardens, 6th July, 1867. [1m 1600 J10

MY Interest and Responsibility in the Firm of BRANDT and PAULSEN, Shipwrights, ceases from this day.
W. PAULSEN.
1m A1603 Hongkong, 10th July, 1867.

MR. WALTER HYDE NOTLEY, will sign our firm on and after this date.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 563 Hongkong, 1st March, 1867.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. HINTON DANIEL STEWART in our Firm in Hongkong and China ceased on 31st December, 1866, and our Firm now consists of WILLIAM WALKINSHAW, PHINEAS RYRIE, WILLIAM JAMES BRYANS and EDWARD CAREY SMITH.
TURNER & Co.
tf 18 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

MR. WARREN DELANO, JR., and Mr. HENRY S. GREY, have RETIRED from our firm their interest and responsibility CEASING on this day.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 172 China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. EDWARD CUNNINGHAM has RE-ENTERED our firm, to which also Mr. WILLIAM H. FOSTER, JR., is admitted Partner, their interest and responsibility commencing this day.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 173 China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE from this date established myself at this Port as MERCHANT and COMMISSION AGENT under the Style and Firm of REMEDIOS & Co.
J. A. DOS REMEDIOS.
tf 927 Hongkong, 15th April, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Partnership hitherto existing between ROBERT SAYLE, of Cambridge, England, and THOMAS PEACOCK, of Hongkong, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on November 15th 1866.
ROBERT SAYLE.
THOMAS PEACOCK.
tf 550 Hongkong, 28th February, 1867.

THE Business will be carried on in future under the style and name of SAYLE & Co. Mr. W. J. STERRY is authorised to sign the firm per procuration.
tf 551 Hongkong, 28th February, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself in business as MERCHANT and COMMISSION AGENT, under the style or firm of SHERIFF & Co.
SHERIFF CURIM.
14d 1773 Hongkong, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. P. A. SCHULTZE ceased to be a Partner in our Firm from the 13th instant, instead of at the time previously notified.
FREERKS, RODATZ & Co.
tf 1718 Hongkong, 24th July, 1867.

I HAVE established a House of Business at Hongkong and Canton, under my name of "AHMEDBHOY REHEMTOOLLA," and Mr. MOTTABHOY MOHMEDALLY is authorised to manage the said Firm and sign for me.
AHMEDBHOY REHEMTOOLLA.
1m 1805 Hongkong, 5th August, 1867.

WE have authorised Mr. ALFRED FEVEZ to sign our name by procuration whenever Monsieur V. LAVOISIER, the Manager of our Firm, may be absent from Hongkong.
P. & P. DERODE FRERES.
3m 1644 Hongkong, 16th July, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. C. F. GROSSMANN has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.
KIRCHNER, BOGER & Co.
tf 1541 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1867.

THE interest and responsibility of M. THEODOR HESSE, in our firm ceased on 30th ultimo. Mr. A. H. P. HASS, who was admitted a partner on 1st January will henceforth conduct our business for his sole account, and Mr. LEONHARD STAEL is duly authorised to sign the name of our firm by procuration.
HESSE & Co.
3m 1530 Hongkong, 1st July, 1867.

MR. ALEXANDER MORRISON is authorised to sign our Firm from this date.
JOHN RIACH & Co.
tf 961 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1867.

I HAVE this day established myself in business as MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT, under the style or firm of LADD & Co.
JOHN H. LADD.
tf 913 Hongkong, 7th May, 1866.

NOTICE.
MR. D. C. PACHECO is authorised to sign my Firm per procuration from the 1st instant.
B. S. FERNANDES.
3m 1788 Macao, 31st July, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. GENUINO AUGUSTO DA SILVA has been admitted as Partner in our Firm since the 1st instant.
JOAQN. PERES DA SILVA & Co.
1m 1666 Macao, 15th July, 1867.

MR. O. W. BRADLEY has retired from our Firm, his Interest and Responsibility having ceased on the 31st December last.
BRADLEY & Co.
3m 1231 Swatow, 21st May, 1867.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the business of my Marine Surveying at this Port.
H. J. DRING,
Marine Surveyor.
tf 1783 Foochow, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the above business, hitherto carried on by H. J. DRING, Esq., at Foochow, it will be conducted by the Undersigned.
J. C. SAUNDERS,
Chop Mia,
Pagoda Anchorage, Foochow.
tf 1784 Foochow, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself at the Ports of Tamsui and Kelung, as a MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT, under the Firm of DODD & Co.
Mr. S. GODFREY BIRD is authorised to sign the Firm per procuration.
JOHN DODD.
Tamsui, 1st July, 1867. 1y 1637 J15

THE business of Messrs. JOHN FORSTER and Co., Public Tea Inspectors and Commission Agents, at this Port, has been transferred to the undersigned, who will continue the same in his own name from this date.
EDWARD W. LOVELL.
tf 1208 Kiukiang, May 1st, 1866. [J11

I HAVE this day established myself at Hankow as a PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, under the firm of ALEX. DOWNIE & Co.
ALEX. DOWNIE.
tf 690 Hankow, 15th March, 1866.

OWING to Mr. HENRY WILLGOSS' death on the 10th April, 1867, his interest and responsibility in our firm ceased on that date.
HUGHES, WILLGOSS & Co.
7d 1811 Yokohama, 24th July, 1867.

A NEW WEATHER-GLASS.

THE PATENT DIFFERENTIAL BAROMETER.

THIS Instrument is a combination of the Aneroid and Sympiesometer. It is portable, sensitive, accurate, and low in price.
G. FALCONER & Co.
tf 1620 Hongkong, 12th July, 1867.

THE TOURISTS' GUIDE,
IN
POCKET FORM.
Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, object of Natural History, Furniture, &c., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronunciation. Price $2.50.
Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the Chinese Language, in two Parts.
Apply to Mr. BELL, *Daily Press Office*, Hongkong, 19th May, 1866.

Vessels Loading.

DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED.
SAN FRANCISCO	Magnolia	Clark	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE & CALCUTTA	Glenroy	Adly	Hongkong	N. Mody & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI & NAGASAKI	Lightning (str.)	D. Rodger	Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI	Sunda (str.)		Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co.	To-morrow, at 4 P.M.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	Yesso (str.)	Ashton	Hongkong	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Sunday, at 9 A.M.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SHANGHAI AND NAGASAKI.
THE British Steamship
"LIGHTNING,"
Captain D. Rodger, will have immediate dispatch for the above Ports, taking Cargo, &c., at current rates.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1834 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

STEAM FOR
YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, MANZANILLO, ACAPULCO, PANAMA, CALLAO, VALPARAISO, NEW YORK, LIVERPOOL, SOUTHAMPTON, AND ST. NAZAIRE.

THE Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Steamship "*COLORADO*," Captain ED. W. SMITH, will leave this for the above places at 4 o'clock P.M. on THURSDAY, the 15th August, 1867.
No Cargo will be received on board after 12 o'clock 14th August.
S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.
9d 1827 Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

STEAM TO
SHANGHAI,
Taking Cargo for Yokohama and also for Chinkiang, Kewkiang and Hankow, on the Yangtsze River, Ningpo, Chefoo, and Tientsin, in connection with the Steamers of the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company.
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
"SUNDA,"
will leave for the above place TO-MORROW, the 10th instant, at 4 P.M.
Through Bills of Lading will be issued for the above-named Ports on the Yangtsze River, in connection with the Steamers of the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company.
W. MACAULAY, *Act. Superintendent.*
5d 1815 Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

FOR SINGAPORE AND CALCUTTA.
THE British ship
"GLENROY,"
Captain Adly, will have quick dispatch for the above Ports.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
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Small SPARS, from 12 to 5 inches. OREGON PINE PLANK, of various thickness.
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A Mail will close.
For Manila.—Per brig *Villa de Rivadabia*, To-day, the 9th instant, at 3 P.M.

A Mail will close.
For San Francisco.—Per *Magnolia*, To-morrow, the 10th instant, at 11 A.M.

A Mail will close.
For Shanghai.—Per *Sunda*, To-morrow, the 10th instant, at 3 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "*BARODA*."—
The Contract Packet "*BARODA*" will be dispatched with the usual Mails on MONDAY, the 12th August, 1867.
The times appointed for closing are:—
For Registered Letters 6 P.M. on SUNDAY, the 11th August.
For Ordinary Letters and Newspapers at 9 A.M. on MONDAY, the 12th August.
Letters can be posted from 9 A.M. till 1 P.M., and Newspapers, Books, or Packets of Patterns from 9 A.M. until noon on the 12th August; such correspondence will not, however, be dispatched unless it bears an extra Eighteen-cent Stamp on each Letter, and an extra Two-cent Stamp on each Newspaper, Book, or Packet of Patterns, as late fees, in addition to the ordinary postage.
Late letters addressed to the United Kingdom *via* Marseilles or to Singapore, can be posted on board from 1.30 to 1.50 P.M. for a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no letters can be received.
A Box will be kept open for the receipt of correspondence from 6 P.M. on the 11th August until 7 A.M. on the 12th August.
Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 30th July, 1867.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.
Correspondence intended to be forwarded per the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer *Colorado*, in the mails for Yokohama, San Francisco, and the United States of America generally, will be received up to 3 P.M. on Thursday the 15th instant; such correspondence must be superscribed per *Colorado*, the colonial postage on which must be prepaid in the Postage Stamps of this colony at the ship letter rate of postage, viz.:—
For a letter under ½ an ounce in weight 8 cents.
Over ½ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz. in weight 16 "
Over 1 oz. and not exceeding 2 ozs. in weight 32 "
And so on, adding 16 cents for every ounce or fraction of an ounce after the first ounce. Newspapers 2 cents each.
F. W. MITCHEL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.
MAILS WILL CLOSE:—
FOR INDIA, EUROPE, &c.
Per La Compagnie des Services Maritimes des Messageries Imperiales Steamer "*TIGRE*," on FRIDAY, the 23rd instant, at 1 o'clock P.M.
To and through the United Kingdom *via* Marseilles, to France and other Continental States (in a closed Mail to France); to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India, Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Suez and Alexandria, after which no letters can be received.
Letters for Registration will be received until Noon on the 23rd instant.
All correspondence intended to be forwarded by the Vessels of the above Company must be superscribed per Messageries Imperiales Packet "——."
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES, AND SOUTHAMPTON.
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "*BARODA*," Captain HASELWOOD, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on MONDAY, the 12th August, at 2 P.M.
CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M. on the 10th August; SPECIE until Noon on the 12th August, and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 10th August.
For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.
A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration.
Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.
W. MACAULAY, *Acting Superintendent*,
Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 31st July, 1867. [1765

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS

INDIA AND CHINA LINES, HONGKONG AGENCY.
STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES; ALSO, BOMBAY, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.
ON FRIDAY, the 23rd instant, at 2 P.M., the Company's Steamship "*TIGRE*," Commandant BOILEVE, with Mails, Passengers, Specie and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places.
Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.
Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 21st; Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 22nd. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)
For further particulars apply at the Company's Office, Queen's Road,
C. BERTRAND, *Principal Agent.*
1807 Hongkong, 5th August, 1867.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.

THE "*COLORADO*,"
4,000 TONS REGISTER,
WILL LEAVE HONGKONG FOR YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO,
At 4 o'clock P.M., on the 15th August.
THE *COSTA RICA* will leave Shanghai the same date to connect with the *Colorado* at Yokohama, and will touch at Nagasaki.
Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both *via* New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall. Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 per cent. upon the whole amount for the round voyage.
Connections are made at Panama with Steam lines upon the west coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the Royal West India Mail Line, West India and Pacific Steamship Co. (Limited), and the French Transatlantic Co., and, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the Cunard, Inman, and National Lines.
Favorable arrangements have been made for through Passengers and Freight to America from Calcutta, Penang, and Singapore, per Steamers of Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., and from Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, per Steamers of Messrs. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Through Bills of Lading given for Freight to Ports of Mexico, and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton, and St. Nazaire, France.
The next departure from Hongkong will be the *Great Republic*, on or about October 15th.
For further information apply at the Agency of the Company, 15 *Praya.*
S. L. PHELPS, *Agent.*
tf 1723 Hongkong, 25th July, 1867.

supplied from recent arrivals, and the demand is readily met. There is little else doing in the Produce market. Sales include 2,800 quarter-sacks Flour $1.58 to $1.60, 1,000 bags Sugar at $7.00, 6,000 piculs Saigon Rice at $1.50, 200 piculs Green Peas at $3.10, 200 piculs Rattans at $4.30, 120 pigs Malacca Tin at $21.60, and 100 flasks Quicksilver at $66.50. The Share market is without any marked movement. There have been sales of old Hongkong and Whampoa Dock at 28 per cent. premium. New are quoted at 18 per cent. premium with buyers. There are seller of both old and new Bank Shares at 1½ and 1 cent. discount respectively. There are also sellers of Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat at 15 per cent. discount; China Traders Insurance are quoted $70 premium, with buyers.

We learn that at the coming half-yearly meeting of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, the direction will be ready to declare a dividend of $7.50 on the paid-up Shares and $1.50 on new Shares. This will will represent 21½ per cent. on the capital for a period of 26 months, or from the opening of the bank, being an average of $13.69 per cent. per annum net profit. After paying the dividend it is understood that there will be $75,000 to carry to the reserve fund and $15,000 to the credit of new account.

There has been a small business doing in Bullion to-day. Gold has found purchasers at $23.45, and a small lot of Sycee and Bar Silver at former rates. The *Norna* brings 366 chests Malwa Opium, 1,108 bales of Cotton, and 26 packages of Sundries.

SALES ON THE 8TH AUGUST, 1867.
As Reported by Chinese.

Foreign Cotton, 95 bales, at $19.50, by foreign merchant to Hop-cheong.
Saigon Rice, 6000 piculs, at $1.58, by Fook-mow-loong by retail.
Malacca Lead, 120 bars, at $21.60, by Fook-mow-loong to travelling merchant.
Black Lead, 100 bars, at $6.80, by Fook-mow-loong to Hongkong merchant.
Japan Mushrooms, 50 cases, at $50.00, by Kwong-hing-yuen to Canton merchant.
Yellow Wax, 10 cases, at $77.00, by Kwong-hing-yuen to travelling merchant.
Medicine, 50 piculs, at $11.20, by Kwong-hing-yuen to Canton merchant.
Cardamons (1st quality), 30 bags, at $3.20, by Yuen-fat-hong to Canton merchant.
Medicine, 15 bags, at $7.80, by Yee-wo-hong to travelling merchant.
Cuttlefish, 30 piculs, at $24.00, by Koong-yue-cheong to Canton merchant.
Flour, 2000 qr.-sacks, at $1.58, by Yee-wo-chong to Hongkong merchant.
Flour, 800 qr.-sacks, at $1.60, by Fook-on-wo to Tye-kee.
Cotton Seeds, 600 piculs, at $6.10, by Kin-cheong-hong to Canton merchant.
Sugar, 1000 bags, at $7.00, by Yuen-foong-hong to foreign merchant.
Red Cloth, 200 pieces, at $3.20, by Wing-cheong-shun to Hongkong merchant.
Rattans, 200 piculs, at $4.30, by Wing-cheong-shun to Hongkong merchant.

COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPT.
Hongkong, August 8th.

OPIUM.—Patna, Cash, new, $642½, sales. Benares, Cash, new, $630, sales. Malwa, Cash, $750, good; $740, inferior, quoted.
On time Patna, new, $642½, quoted.
8th Sales Patna, $642½, quoted.
COTTON.—Japan, none; Ningpo, none; Shanghai, &c., $20 to $25; Bengal, $16 to $23; Bombay, $18 to $24, sales.
RICE.—Bengal and Manila, none; Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $1.60 to $2.10, sales.
EXCHANGE.—Bank Bills on Calcutta at 3 days' sight, 220 Rs., at 15 days' sight, 220½ Rs., sales. On Bombay at 3 days' sight, 220½ Rs., sales. On London at 6 months' sight, 4/5; 4 m.s'. 4/4½, quoted.
GOLD LEAF.—$23.45, quoted.
SYCEE.—8½ per cent. premium. Bar Silver, 11 per cent. premium, quoted.
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co.'s Shares, 2 per cent. discount old, sales; 1 per cent. discount new, quoted.
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.'s Shares, 28 per cent. premium old; 18 per cent. premium new, enquired.
Hongkong Gas Co.'s Shares.—Par, quoted.
Union Dock Company's Shares.—25 per cent. discount, sales.
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamer Company's Shares.—15 per cent. discount, enquired.
China Traders' Insurance Co.'s Shares.—$75 per share premium, enquired.

Intimations.

ALL Persons having Claims against the Estate of the late GEORGE WILKINS, and all Persons indebted to the same, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned on or before the 1st of October next.
S. SPEECHLY.
tf 1121 Hongkong, 10th May, 1867.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at CANTON and MACAO. Communications at Macao to be addressed to Mr. E. L. LANGA, H.B.M. Consular Agent there.
GILMAN & Co.
tf Hongkong, 25th April, 1868.

THE MEDICAL-HALL DISPENSARY having been Sold by Public Auction on the 28th July, the Purchaser hereby gives notice that all accounts and liabilities previous to that date will be settled by the late Proprietors, and that the business will be continued in the same Premises under the new management.
3m 1790 Hongkong, 2nd August, 1867.

RETURNED FROM FORMOSA AND JAPAN.
F. BECHTINGER, M.D., Late Physician attached to the Court of His Imperial Majesty MAXIMILIAN, in Mexico, has returned to Hongkong and will continue to give Medical and Surgical advice in his former Office, *Hollywood Road*, No. 18, from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M., daily.
Particular attention to all Surgical Operations and Diseases of the Eye.
Consultation in all Modern Languages.
1m 1735 Hongkong, 26th July, 1867.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEY.
WHO would attend a GYMNASIUM when half-an-hour at the above exercise is sufficient for the day's Constitutional, combining the necessary exertion of manual labour with the interest attached to a game of skill.
A SODA FOUNTAIN, with the latest cordial drinks (for Teetotallers), continually in play, while the undersigned will be a guarantee for the quality of the stronger drinks supplied, having brought out a choice assortment of Wines and Spirits from England.
EDWARD PARKER,
Late Albion.
tf 1191 Hongkong, 20th May, 1867.

DRY DOCKS, SHANGHAI.
OLD DOCK.

Length on Blocks	340 feet.
Width "	40 "
Width of Entrance	60 "
Depth of water at Spring tides	18 "
" at Neap	13 "

The Caisson can be floated out at Neap tides, and the Dock can be pumped dry in Six hours by two Worthington Steam Pumps.
STEAM-BOAT DOCK.

Length on Blocks	350 feet.
Width	80 "
Width of Entrance	80 "
Depth of water at Spring tides	12 "
" " Neap	7 "

The Caisson can be floated out at Neap tides, and the Docks can be pumped dry in Three hours by a powerful Rotary Steam Pump.
The Charges for Dockage are the HONGKONG RATES, and are payable on the Register Tonnage of sailing Vessels, and on the gross tonnage of Steamers.
The Undersigned guarantees the OLD DOCK to have as much depth of water in the entrance at high tide, as any Dock in Shanghai; and will forfeit the amount of one day's dockage to any vessel entering or leaving the Dock for each day of detention caused by less depth of water than advertised.
Any damage occurring to Vessels when under the sole charge of the Dock-Master, hauling in or out of Dock, will be made good by the undersigned;—but he will not be responsible for damages caused by accidents to the Caisson or Dock.
The Dock establishment comprises a FOUNDRY;—BLACKSMITH'S, MACHINE, BOILER, and PATENT SHOPS; SAIL and RIGGING LOFTS; and all branches of work connected with the building or repairing of Iron or Wooden Vessels.
For particulars, apply to
JOHN P. ROBERTS,
Old Dock, Shanghai.
6m 1264 Shanghai, 15th May, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. THOMAS PYKE in our firm ceased on 30th April last, and Mr. GEORGE DENT is authorised to sign our firm from this date.
BULL, PURDON & Co.
1m 1800 Hongkong, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE authority of Mr. GEO. R. LAWRENCE to sign the firm ceased this day.
BULL, PURDON & Co.
Spring Gardens, 6th July, 1867. [1m 1600 J10

MY Interest and Responsibility in the Firm of BRANDT and PAULSEN, Shipwrights, ceases from this day.
W. PAULSEN.
1m A1603 Hongkong, 10th July, 1867.

MR. WALTER HYDE NOTLEY, will sign our firm on and after this date.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 568 Hongkong, 1st March, 1867.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. HINTON DANIEL STEWART in our Firm in Hongkong and China ceased on 31st December, 1866, and our Firm now consists of WILLIAM WALKINSHAW, PHINEAS RYRIE, WILLIAM JAMES BRYANS and EDWARD CAREY SMITH.
TURNER & Co.
tf 18 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. WARREN DELANO, JR., and Mr. HENRY S. GREY, have RETIRED from our firm their interest and responsibility CEASING on this day.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 172 China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. EDWARD CUNNINGHAM has RE-ENTERED our firm, to which also Mr. WILLIAM H. FORSTER, JR., is admitted Partner, their interest and responsibility commencing the day.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 173 China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE from this date established myself at this Port as MERCHANT and COMMISSION AGENT under the Style and Firm of REMEDIOS & Co.
J. A. DOS REMEDIOS.
tf 927 Hongkong, 15th April, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Partnership hitherto existing between ROBERT SAYLE, of Cambridge, England, and THOMAS PEACOCK, of Hongkong, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on November 15th 1866.
ROBERT SAYLE.
THOMAS PEACOCK.
tf 550 Hongkong, 28th February, 1867.

THE Business will be carried on in future under the style and name of SAYLE & Co. Mr. W. J. STERRY is authorised to sign the firm per procuration.
tf 551 Hongkong, 28th February, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself in business as MERCHANT and COMMISSION AGENT, under the style or firm of SHERIFF & Co.
SHERIFF OURIM.
14d 1778 Hongkong, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. F. A. SCHULTZE ceased to be a Partner in our Firm from the 13th instant, instead of at the time previously notified.
FREERKS, RODATZ & Co.
tf 1718 Hongkong, 24th July, 1867.

I HAVE established a House of Business at Hongkong and Canton, under my name of "AHMEDBHOY REHEMTOOLLA," and Mr. MOTABHOY MOHMEDALLY is authorised to manage the said Firm and sign for me.
AHMEDBHOY REHEMTOOLLA.
1m 1805 Hongkong, 5th August, 1867.

WE have authorised Mr. ALFRED FEVEZ to sign our name by procuration whenever Monsieur V. LAVOISIER, the Manager of our Firm, may be absent from Hongkong.
P. & P. DERODE FRERES.
3m 1644 Hongkong, 16th July, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. C. F. GROSSMANN has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.
KIRCHNER, BOGER & Co.
tf 1541 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1867.

THE interest and responsibility of M. THEODOR HESSE, in our firm ceased on 30th ultimo. Mr. A. H. P. HASE, who was admitted a partner on 1st January will henceforth conduct our business for his sole account, and Mr. LEONHARD STAHL is duly authorised to sign the name of our firm by procuration.
HESSE & Co.
3m 1530 Hongkong, 1st July, 1867.

MR. ALEXANDER MORRISON is authorised to sign our Firm from this date.
JOHN RIACH & Co.
tf 961 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1867.

I HAVE this day established myself in business as MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT, under the style or firm of LADD & Co.
JOHN H. LADD.
tf 912 Hongkong, 7th May, 1866.

NOTICE.
MR. D. C. PACHECO is authorised to sign my Firm per procuration from the 1st instant.
B. S. FERNANDES.
3m 1788 Macao, 31st July, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. GENUINO AUGUSTO DA SILVA has been admitted as Partner in our Firm since the 1st instant.
JOAQN. PERES DA SILVA & Co.
1m 1656 Macao, 15th July, 1867.

MR. C. W. BRADLEY has retired from our Firm, his Interest and Responsibility having ceased on the 31st December last.
BRADLEY & Co.
3m 1231 Swatow, 21st May, 1867.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the business of my Marine Surveying at this Port.
H. J. DRING,
Marine Surveyor.
tf 1783 Foochow, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the above business, hitherto carried on by H. J. DRING, Esq., at Foochow, it will be conducted by the Undersigned.
J. C. SAUNDERS,
Chop Min,
Pagoda Anchorage, Foochow.
tf 1784 Foochow, 1st August, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself at the Ports of Tamsui and Kelung, as a MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT, under the Firm of DODD & Co.
MR. S. GODFREY BIRD is authorised to sign the Firm per procuration.
JOHN DODD.
Tamsui, 1st July, 1867. 1y 1637 J15

THE business of Messrs. JOHN FORSTER and Co., Public Tea Inspectors and Commission Agents, at this Port, has been transferred to the undersigned, who will continue the same in his own name from this date.
EDWARD W. LOVELL.
tf 1208 Kiukiang, May 1st, 1866. [J11

I HAVE this day established myself at Hankow as a PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, under the firm of ALEX. DOWNIE & Co.
ALEX. DOWNIE.
tf 890 Hankow, 15th March, 1866.

OWING to Mr. HENRY WILLGOSS' death on the 10th April, 1867, his interest and responsibility in our firm ceased on that date.
HUGHES, WILLGOSS & Co.
7d 1811 Yokohama, 24th July, 1867.

A NEW WEATHER-GLASS.

THE PATENT DIFFERENTIAL BAROMETER.

THIS Instrument is a combination of the Aneroid and Sympiesometer. It is portable, sensitive, accurate, and low in price.
G. FALCONER & Co.
tf 1620 Hongkong, 12th July, 1867.

THE TOURISTS' GUIDE, IN POCKET FORM.
Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, object of Natural History, Furniture, &c., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronunciation. Price $2.50.
Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the Chinese Language, in two Parts.
Apply to Mr. BELL, *Daily Press Office,*
Hongkong, 19th May, 1866.

Vessels Loading.

DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED.
SAN FRANCISCO	Magnolia	Clark	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE & CALCUTTA	Glenroy	Adly	Hongkong	N. Mody & Co	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI & NAGASAKI	Lightning (str.)	D. Rodger	Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI	Sunda (str.)		Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co	To-morrow, at 4 P.M.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	Yesso (str.)	Ashton	Hongkong	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Sunday, at 9 A.M.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SHANGHAI AND NAGASAKI.
THE British Steamship
"LIGHTNING,"
Captain D. Rodger, will have immediate dispatch for the above Ports, taking Cargo, &c., at current rates.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1834 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

STEAM FOR
YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, MANZANILLO, ACAPULCO, PANAMA, CALLAO, VALPARAISO, NEW YORK, LIVERPOOL, SOUTHAMPTON, AND ST. NAZAIRE.
THE Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Steamship "*COLORADO*," Captain ED. W. SMITH, will leave this for the above places at 4 o'clock P.M. on THURSDAY, the 15th August, 1867.
No Cargo will be received on board after 12 o'clock 14th August.
S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.
9d 1827 Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

STEAM TO
SHANGHAI;
Taking Cargo for Yokohama and also for Chinkiang, Kewkiang and Hankow, on the Yangtsze River, Ningpo, Chefoo, and Tientsin, in connection with the Steamers of the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company.
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
"SUNDA,"
will leave for the above place TO-MORROW, the 10th instant, at 4 P.M.
Through Bills of Lading will be issued for the above-named Ports on the Yangtsze River, in connection with the Steamers of the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company.
W. MACAULAY, *Act. Superintendent.*
5d 1815 Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

FOR SINGAPORE AND CALCUTTA.
THE British ship
"GLENROY,"
Captain Adly, will have quick dispatch for the above Ports.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
N. MODY & Co.
21d 1702 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1867.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE British ship
"MAGNOLIA,"
Captain Clark, will have quick dispatch for the above Port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1553 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1867.

For Freight or Charter.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A 1 British Ship
"FOAM,"
Watt, Master, of 628 Tons Register and about 13,500 Piculs Carrying Capacity. Apply to
BIRLEY & Co.
tf 1721 Hongkong, 25th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
THE British barque *LANCASTER*, of about 11,000 Piculs carrying capacity. Apply to
BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.
tf 1812 Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex John Milton.
LONDON STOUT, in Kilderkins. Apply to
HOWARD HODGES,
At Messrs. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1258 Hongkong, 27th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A VERY POWERFUL BREAD MACHINE, by STEVENS. Apply to
ALEX. BOYER.
tf 1614 Hongkong, 12th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex M. W. Sass, from Copenhagen.
SUPERIOR Danish BUTTER, in Tins of 4½ lbs.
Danish Kummel AQUAVIT and Corn BRANDY.
P. F. HEERING'S CHERRY CORDIAL, in Quarts and Pints, guaranteed Genuine.
Also,
Now Landing, ex *Northfleet*,—
A small Invoice of DEUTZ and GELDERMANN'S Prime CHAMPAGNE.
GOLDLACK, at $20.
TRAUBENBLAT, at $15.
PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.
1m 1686 Hongkong, 20th July, 1867.

DUTCH HERRINGS, $1 per dozen.
CREMER & Co.,
No. 1, Stanley Street.
tf 1171 Hongkong, 16th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
BEST Muntz's YELLOW METAL, 20 to 28 ozs., and COMPOSITION NAILS. Apply to
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 1705 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex Northfleet.
AN Invoice of COUNTRY-CURED HAMS and BACON, PICKLES, SAUCES, JAMS, &c., from CROSSE and BLACKWELL'S.
JAMES FRISBY,
71, Queen's Road.
1m 1729 Hongkong, 25th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Just Landed.
A FEW Sides BELFAST BACON.
A few BELFAST HAMS.
CORK BUTTER, in 2½-lbs. Jars.
YORK HAMS and CHEDDAR CHEESE.
A few Cases CHAT. D'AX CHAMPAGNE.
A few Fine Breakfast and Dinner CLARET.
Fine Old Hennessy's BRANDY.
GOLDEN SYRUP.
New MUSCATELS.
Pure MALT VINEGAR.
And a variety of other GOODS. Apply to
FAWCETT & Co.
1m 1684 Hongkong, 20th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A FEW CASES of *Adolphe Collin's* Bouzy Mousseux CHAMPAGNE, also a good selection of *L. Jaunay & Co.'s* Association Vinicale de la CHAMPAGNE.
CLARET, Real Château Margaux.
HAUT BAGES.
L'ESPARRE DUROC.
Also
A quantity of IRON COLUMNS.
For particulars, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 610 Hongkong, 8th March, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A SMALL INVOICE of Superior CHAMPAGNE, VEUVE CLIQUOT, and also a Small Lot of very fine French Preserves (PATES TRUFFES). Apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 1733 Hongkong, 26th July, 1867.

TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases.
" SHERRY " 3 "
" PORT " 2 "
" CLARET " 1 "
BIRLEY & Co.

J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and PORTER.
DAVID CORSAR & SONS'
Merchant Navy
Navy Boiled
Long Flax
Crown
} CANVAS.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
tf 1130 Hongkong, 11th May, 1867.

ONE COPY of each of the following WORKS may be had by applying at the *Daily Press* Office:—

Epitome of Allison's History of England	$3.00
Crawford's Descriptive Beauty of India Islands	6.00
Mile's Epitome of the Naval Service	4.00
Index Geographicus	7.50
Palgrave's Arabia, 2 vols.	9.00
Commercial Products of Vegetable Kingdom	7.50
Tate's Cambist	4.00

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LINEN DRAPERS, SILK MERCERS, HABERDASHERS, TAILORS, AND GENERAL OUTFITTERS.

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We beg to draw particular attention to this BRANCH, it being unusually well supplied with
FANCY TROWSERINGS, TWEEDS
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WHITE AND COLORED DRILLS,
VESTINGS.
BLACK AND COLORED ALPACCAS,
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BLACK, BLUE, AND MILITARY
BROAD CLOTHS,
GOLD AND SILVER LACES,
BADGES, &c.
A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED
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COTTON, LISLE, & SILK SOCKS.
SILK, SILK AND WOOL, AND GAUZE
MERINO UNDERSHIRTS & PANTS.
WOOL and SILK and WOOL PAJAMAS.
LONG CLOTH & CRIMEAN SHIRTS.
SILK AND CAMBRIC POCKET
HANDKERCHIEFS.
SCARVES, TIES, AND
COLLARS,
new shapes.
STICKS AND SILK UMBRELLAS.
SOAP, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, &c., &c.
DAMASK CLOTHS AND NAPKINS,
all sizes.
COTTON and LINEN SHEETINGS,
in every width.
HUCKABACK & TURKISH TOWELS.
HOUSEHOLD LINENS,
of every description.
A Large Stock of
BRUSSELS AND TAPESTRY CARPETS.
HEARTH-RUGS.
MUSLIN AND LACE CURTAINS,
ALL WOOL DAMASKS, AND
ALL WOOL REPS.
CURTAIN CORDS AND TRIMMINGS,
of every description.
WOOL CARRIAGE-MATS, &c.
PLAIN AND STRIPED COCOA
MATTINGS AND MATS.
PRINTED
AND EMBROIDERED TABLE-COVERS
AND BAIZES, OIL-CLOTHS,
AMERICAN LEATHERS,
in all Colours.
LEATHER BAGS AND
PORTMANTEAUS.
GENTS' DRAB SHELL HATS,
GENTLEMEN'S BLACK DRESS HATS,
BLACK AND DRAB FELT HATS,
new shapes.
TWEED & CLOTH TRAVELLING HATS.
tf 1729 Hongkong, 28th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
MUNTZ'S YELLOW METAL, 20/28 ozs., and NAILS. Apply to
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
tf 1408 Hongkong, 15th June, 1867.

FOR SALE.
AN Invoice of Superior CLARET, POUGET, TUQUET, and QUEYRIES, in Wood and in Cases, and a few Cases of *La Veuve Cliquot's* CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts, guaranteed genuine, at $32 per dozen. Apply to
GRÜN & Co.
Peel Street.
tf 1649 Hongkong, 16th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Just Landed.
SPARKLING MOSELLE.
SPARKLING HOCK.
STILL HOCK.
PORT WINE.
PALE SHERRY.
CURACAO.
CLARET.
BRANDY.
A small lot of Genuine MADEIRA in wood.
The above WINES are of superior quality, and warranted genuine.
CARLOWITZ & Co.
tf 1548 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1867.

EX *NAOMI.*
ELECTRO-PLATED BEER MUGS.
BIRDSEYE, SHAG, &c.
BATH RUBBERS.
KRUG, in Quarts and Pints.
MEDOC St. Estephe.
MARGAUX La Rose.
CHATEAU CANTENAC.
Ex Northfleet.
SHIP-CHANDLERY, of various kinds, as SALTER'S BALANCES, SIDE LIGHTS, Patent SOUNDING MACHINES, Steelyards, BOILERS, &c., &c.
THURSTON'S BILLIARD GEAR.
Black and Drab FELT HATS.
MOUNTAIN COFFEE.
BEER, in Wood and Bottle.
Comet and Maltese Cross SHERRIES.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
14d 1782 Hongkong, 26th July, 1867.

YELLOW Metal, 18 to 28 oz., Muntz and Vivian's
JOHN BURD & Co.
tf 670 Hongkong, 6th April, 1866.

EX "*NORTHFLEET*," &c.
T. & D. HENRY'S Government NAVY CANVAS.
Fine PALE SHERRY.
Galvanized WIRE ROPE, 4 inches to 1 inch.
BLUE LIGHTS.
ROCKETS.
CHAMPAGNE.
CLARET and BURGUNDY.
¾ and ⅞ inch CHAIN.
SIGNAL LANTERNS.
BASS'S ALE, in Pints and Quarts.
BARCLAY'S STOUT, in Quarts and Pints, &c., &c., &c.
BOWRA & Co.
4w 1690 Hongkong, 22nd July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A FEW THOUSAND very choice HAVANA CIGARS, just received in boxes of 100 each.
PHILIP K. DUMARESQ.
No. 15, *Praya.*
tf 1212 Hongkong, 21st May, 1867.

FOR SALE A Set of Double PONY HARNESS very complete, and handsome, best London make, Price $50.
Apply at the Office of this Paper.
tf 2758 Hongkong, 8th November, 1866.

FOR SALE.
5,000 Gallons PETROLEUM. Apply to
JOHN BURD & Co.
1m 1725 Hongkong, 27th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
FIRST Class Rangoon TEAK PLANKS of Sizes. Apply to
F. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.
tf 1606 Hongkong, 27th July 1866.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
Ex Calcutta Steamer,
And in Prime Order.
CALCUTTA HUMPS and BRISKETS.
Calcutta ROUNDS of BEEF.
Calcutta TONGUES.
Assorted CHUTNEYS and CURRY POWDERS.
New GRAM. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1362 Hongkong, 10th June, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Imperatrice Eugenie* and other arrivals.
CLARET in Wood, CHATEAU DU CASTELET.
A small Invoice of CHATEAU LAFITTE, of well-known Flavour and Quality.
Also,
FRENCH BUTTER in Tins of 2½ lbs. and upwards, at moderate prices.
A very large assortment of VEGETABLES in Tins, CHAMPIGNONS, TRUFFLES, ANCHOVIES in Bottle, &c., &c.
Toyssonaux FRUITS, in Brandy and in Syrup.
TRUFFLED PATEES, of every description.
SAUERKRAUT in Kegs, in splendid condition. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1368 Hongkong, 10th June, 1867.

FOR SALE.
BREAKFAST, Dinner, and Dessert CLARETS, guaranteed sound, from $4 to $15 per dozen; to purchasers of 25 dozen and upwards, liberal allowance will be made.
SELTZER WATER.
RHENISH WINES, of different Vintages, from $5.50 to $27 per dozen.
RED HUNGARIAN WINES, in 4 dozen Cases at $4.50 per dozen. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1069 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
OCTOBER BREWINGS.
Just Landed,
BASS & Co.'s PALE ALE, in Hogsheads and Kilderkins.
Barclay and Perkin's STOUT, in Wood.
Jeffrie's Edinburgh BITTER PALE ALE, in Hogsheads.
Best Jamaica RUM, in Hogsheads.
BASS'S PALE ALE, in Quarts and Pints.
TENNENT'S do. do. do.
GUINNESS' STOUT, Dublin, bottled, by Burke, in Quarts and Pints.
Good DINNER SHERRY, from $6 per dozen and upwards.
HENNESSY'S PALE OLD BRANDY.
GINGER WINE. GINGER BRANDY.
KINAHAN'S LL IRISH WHISKEY.
Best Islay WHISKEY.
500 Drums HUBBACK'S Pale Boiled LINSEED OIL in 5 Gals.
100 Drums HUBBACK'S RAW OIL.
5 Tons HUBBACK'S Best White ZINC.
5 Do. do. RED Black PAINT.
HUBBACK'S INT. LEAD, Green, Yellow and Brown PAnt Prussian Blue.
PEACOCK'S Pent Composition.
MACKILLOP'S do. do.
GALVANIZED WIRE ROPE.
do. THIMBLES, HANKS.
SHACKLES, &c., &c., at
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1067 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
(Ex late Arrivals.)
POMERANIAN GOOSEBREASTS.
WESTPHALIA HAMS, YORK HAMS.
WILTSHIRE CHEESE.
GRUERE CHEESE.
FINEST FRENCH CHOCOLATE.
ASSORTED FRENCH CONFECTIONERY.
MACCARONI & VERMICELLI, of superior quality in tins.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1068 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
HUNTLEY and PALMER'S DESSERT BISCUITS. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1062 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
SPARKLING MOSELLE.
SPARKLING HOCK.
Eugenie Cliquot's CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts and Pints.
CARTE BLANCHE, in Half Pints.
A. Collin's BOUZY MOUSSEUX and CABINET, in Quarts and Pints.
LOUIS RODERER, in Quarts.
SAUTERNE and BARSAC.
CHATEAUX D'YQUEM.
French COGNAC, fine CHAMPAGNE, superior quality.
MARASCHINO DE ZARA.
Wynand and Fokink's Dutch CURACOA.
Garnier's Genuine CHARTREUSSE.
Assorted LIQUEURS.
Assorted French SYRUPS.
RASPBERRY VINEGAR.
At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1061 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
(Received direct from Portugal.)
VERY Choice unadulterated PORT WINE, chiefly adapted for Invalids.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1065 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
CARTRIDGES for Enfield RIFLES. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1064 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
100 Barrels PRIME PORK. 100 Barrels MESS BEEF. Apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
tf 59 Hongkong, 4th January, 1867.

MULLER AND CLAUSSEN
HAVE RECEIVED
BY
THE LAST FRENCH MAIL STEAMER—
A GREAT VARIETY of Ready-made SUMMER CLOTHING and HOSIERY, consisting of:—

Black Alpaca and Merino COATS	$4.00 to 8.00
Black Alpaca and Merino PANTS	$2.50 to 3.00
Black Alpaca and Merino VESTS	$2.00 to 2.50
Finest Merino DRESSCOATS with Silk Lining	$ 9.00 to 10.00
Colored Alpaca COATS	$ 3.00 to 4.00
Colored Alpaca PANTS	$ 2.00 to 2.50
Colored Alpaca VESTS	$ 1.00 to 1.50
White JACKETS (all Linen)	$16.00 per doz.
White JACKETS (Cotton)	$11.00 "
White Marseille and Linen VESTS	$ 2.00 to 2.50
White Drill PANTS	$ 2.00
White Linen Duck and Drill PANTS	$ 2.50 to 3.75
Complete LIGHT SUIT, Cheque Patterns	$ 4.00
Flannel SAC COATS	$ 4.00 to 5.00
Flannel TROWSERS	$ 3.00 to 5.00
Flannel VESTS	$ 1.50
Tweed SAC COATS	$ 7.00 to 8.00
Tweed TROWSERS	$ 4.50 to 5.00
Tweed VESTS	$ 2.00

The above are all GUARANTEED of European-make and of best style and fit.
LIGHT WOOLLEN, MERINO, AND SILK UNDERSHIRTS.
LIGHT WOOLLEN, MERINO, AND SILK DRAWERS.
WHITE AND FANCY-COLORED COTTON SOCKS.
SILK SOCKS AND LADIES' STOCKINGS.
WOOL AND SILK MIXED SHIRTS.
WHITE SHIRTS WITH LINEN FRONTS.
COLLARS OF NEWEST STYLES, AS OLYMPIOS, SHAKESPEARES, WESTEND, &c.
BLACK, WHITE, AND COLORED NECKTIES.
HUMBUG TIES AND SCARFS.
STRAW HATS OF NEWEST STYLE.
CHRISTY'S BLACK AND DRAB FELT HATS.
UMBRELLAS (SANGSTER'S),
WALKING STICKS.
CHOICE PERFUMERY, &c.
and
A Large Assortment of THOS. DAWSON & SON'S
BOOTS AND SHOES.
The Lightest and most Comfortable Wear for this Season.
tf 1542 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1867.

For Sale.

JUST RECEIVED,
Ex Colorado.
FRESH BUTTER, in 15-lb. Kits.
New California CHEESE, by the pound.
Stewart's GOLDEN SYRUP, by the Gallon or Bottle.
No. 1 MACKEREL, in Kits.
" PICKLED SALMON, in Kits.
Kiln-dried CORN MEAL, in 10-lb. Tins.
Fine White HOMINY, in 10-lb. Tins.
Burnett's Extracts of LEMON and VANILLA.
Cox's GELATINE in Packages.
California WINE BITTERS.
Musters of California SHERRY.
Genuine "Killikenick" Smoking TOBACCO, in 5-lb. Bales.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1810 Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

FOR SALE.
T. & D. HENRY'S 1st and 2nd quality HEMP CANVAS, Nos. 1 to 6.
REPAIRING CANVAS and PARCELLING.
AMERICAN DRILLINGS.
HEMP and COTTON TWINE.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1747 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

JUST RECEIVED.
HOTH'S Best Russia ROPE, of 3 and 4 Strands.
SEIZING, HAMBROLINE, MARLINE, HOUSELINE, and SPUNYARN.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1748 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

JUST LANDED.
ENGINEER'S FILES, of all descriptions.
Portable CIRCULAR FORGES.
Portable and Bench VICES.
ANVILS, HAMMERS, SLEDGES.
Leading and Suction RUBBER HOSE.
OILERS, TUBE BRUSHES, WRENCHES.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1749 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
LOWMOOR and Common BOILER PLATES.
Round, Square, and Flat Bars of IRON, of all sizes.
Assorted STEEL BARS.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1750 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
FAIRBANK'S Platform SCALES, graded for Pounds and for Pounds and Piculs.
SARGENT'S CABOOSES, for Nos. 1 to 6.
WROUGHT-IRON SAFES.
House and Ship COMMODES.
SHEET ZINC and SHEET LEAD.
LEAD PIPE, Metal and Copper SPIKES.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1751 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

JUST LANDED,
Ex Solent.
YELLOW METAL BOLTS, from ⅝ to 1½ inches in diameter.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1752 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Northfleet* and Late Arrivals.
DUC DE MONTEBELLO CHAMPAGNE, in Cases of 1 dozen Quarts.
Dry Sillery CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts, Pints and Half Pints.
St. Robert and Medoc CLARETS.
SHERRY and PORT WINE, of best Brands.
Genuine A. V. H. GIN, in 15-Bottle Cases.
TATHAM'S, HENNESSY'S, DENIS', MARTELL'S, CUVILLIER'S, and RINAULT'S BRANDIES.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1753 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex Late Arrivals.
MAST, YARD, and BOWSPRIT PIECES, from 30 inches down.
Small SPARS, from 12 to 5 inches. OREGON PINE PLANK, of various thickness.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf 1013 Hongkong, 27th April, 1867.

RECEIVED BY LAST MAIL.
[illegible]
A Fine assortment of Superior JEWELLERY for Ladies and Gentlemen, by *Wolsham* and *Mathews, and Peak*, London.
C. HOCHSTETTER,
Queen's Road.
tf 272 Hongkong, 10th February, 1867.

AT THE BAZAAR EUROPEAN.
A. ULLMAN begs to invite his Friends and the Public to inspect his new Stock of Drapery, Haberdashery, Hosiery, Jewellery and Fancy Goods, &c., arrived by last mail, which will be disposed of at very moderate prices, viz:—
Cotton, Linen and Woollen Shirts.
Ready-made Clothing.
Felt Hats (assorted Shapes and Colors).
Table Covers.
Towelling.
Men's Socks.
Rugs.
Umbrellas.
French and English Boots.
Perfumery.
Opera Glasses.
Watches (Gold and Silver.)
Gold Chains.
Meerschaum Pipes and Cigar Holders, and several other Articles too numerous to mention.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE.
BATHING and SWIMMING DRAWERS. Apply to
A. ULLMANN,
Bazaar Europeen.
tf 909 Hongkong, 13th April, 1867.

THE MEMBERS of the late HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS, are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.
H. COHEN.
tf 681 Hongkong, 14th March, 1867.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED DOCK.
THE above DOCK has been in full working order for the last eighteen months, length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the Sill, Springs average 17 feet, Neaps 14 feet.
The Dock in ordinary tides runs dry to the Blocks, and is pumped out by steam. The charges are as follows: The day of entrance, and two following days, One Mexican Dollar per ton register will be charged; beyond that period each day 10 cents per register ton.

LABOR,—European Foreman per day		$5.00
Canton	" "	1.25
Canton Carpenter	" "	.75
Foochow	" "	.45

For further particulars as to the price of Coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to
T. D. T. TILLINGAST, Esq., Messrs. DE SILVER & Co., Hongkong.
ROBERT ADAMS, Esq., Messrs. NICHOLSON & BOYD, Shanghai.
Or to the Undersigned.
In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug *Woosung*. Vessels requiring the service of this Tug, either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. Monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application to
JOHN C. SKEY, *Manager,*
Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.
No percentage charged upon the labor, but a charge of 10 per cent. will be made on all materials supplied, otherwise than by the Dock.

GEORGE GLASSE,
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
Pedder's Wharf.
HONGKONG.
SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS
SUPPLIED AND REFITTED.
tf 1050 Hongkong, 1st May, 1867.

F. BECHTINGER,
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, & OCULIST.
Hollywood Road, No. 18.
tf 1825 Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

BOOKBINDING.
THE MANAGER of the *Daily Press* having PURCHASED all the MACHINERY and APPLIANCES for BOOKBINDING, formerly the property of Mr. AARON GINDELL, will in future CARRY ON that BUSINESS on the premises of the *Daily Press* Office.
COMPETENT ASSISTANCE (including Mr. GINDELL) has been engaged, and the necessary arrangements having been made, work can now be received.
All communications connected with the BOOKBINDING BUSINESS to be addressed to
W. H. BELL.

PERRY DAVIS'
VEGETABLE
PAIN KILLER,
THE GREAT
FAMILY MEDICINE OF THE AGE!
SOLE AGENCY IN CHINA THE
MEDICAL HALL.
ly 2268 Hongkong, 16th October, 1866.

Post-Office Notifications.

A Mail will close.
For Manila.—Per brig *Villa de Rivadabia*, To-day, the 9th instant, at 3 P.M.

A Mail will close.
For San Francisco.—Per *Magnolia*, To-morrow, the 10th instant, at 11 A.M.

A Mail will close.
For Shanghai.—Per *Sunda*, To-morrow, the 10th instant, at 3 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "*BARODA*."—
The Contract Packet "*BARODA*" will be dispatched with the usual Mails on MONDAY, the 12th August, 1867.
The times appointed for closing are:—
For Registered Letters 6 P.M. on SUNDAY, the 11th August.
For Ordinary Letters and Newspapers at 9 A.M. on MONDAY, the 12th August.
Letters can be posted from 9 A.M. till 1 P.M., and Newspapers, Books, or Packets of Patterns from 9 A.M. until noon on the 12th August; such correspondence will not, however, be dispatched unless it bears an extra Eighteen-cent Stamp on each Letter, and an extra Two-cent Stamp on each Newspaper, Book, or Packet of Patterns, as late fees, in addition to the ordinary postage.
Late letters addressed to the United Kingdom *via* Marseilles or to Singapore, can be posted on board from 1.30 to 1.50 P.M. for a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no letters can be received.
A Box will be kept open for the receipt of correspondence from 6 P.M. on the 11th August until 7 A.M. on the 12th August.
Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 30th July, 1867.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.
Correspondence intended to be forwarded per the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer *Colorado*, in the mails for Yokohama, San Francisco, and the United States of America generally, will be received up to 3 P.M. on Thursday the 15th instant; such correspondence must be superscribed per *Colorado*, the colonial postage on which must be prepaid in the Postage Stamps of this colony at the ship letter rate of postage, viz:—
For a letter under ½ an ounce in weight 8 cents.
" " ½ " 1 " 16 "
Over 1 oz. and not exceeding 2 ozs. in weight 32 "
And so on, adding 16 cents for every ounce or fraction of an ounce after the first ounce.
Newspapers 2 cents each.
F. W. MITCHEL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 6th August, 1867.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.
MAILS WILL CLOSE:—
FOR INDIA, EUROPE, &c.,
Per La Compagnie des Services Maritimes des Messageries Imperiales Steamer "*TIGRE*," on FRIDAY, the 23rd instant, at 1 o'clock P.M.
To and through the United Kingdom *via* Marseilles, to France and other Continental States (in a closed Mail to France); to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India, Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Suez and Alexandria, after which no letters can be received.
Letters for Registration will be received until Noon on the 23rd instant.
All correspondence intended to be forwarded by the Vessels of the above Company must be superscribed per Messageries Imperiales Packet "........"
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 7th August, 1867.

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES, AND SOUTHAMPTON.
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "*BARODA*," Captain HASELWOOD, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on MONDAY, the 12th August, at 2 P.M.
CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M. on the 10th August; SPECIE until Noon on the 12th August; and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 10th August.
For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.
A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration.
Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.
W. MACAULAY, *Acting Superintendent.*
Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 31st July, 1867. [1755

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.
INDIA AND CHINA LINES, HONGKONG AGENCY.
STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES; ALSO, BOMBAY, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.
ON FRIDAY, the 23rd instant, at 2 P.M. the Company's Steamship "*TIGRE*," Commandant BOILEVE, with Mails, Passengers, Specie and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places.
Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.
Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 21st; Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 22nd. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)
For further particulars apply at the Company's Office, Queen's Road.
C. BERTRAND, *Principal Agent.*
1807 Hongkong, 5th August, 1867.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.
THE "*COLORADO*,"
4,000 TONS REGISTER,
WILL LEAVE HONGKONG FOR YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO,
At 4 o'clock P.M., on the 15th August.
THE *COSTA RICA* will leave Shanghai the same date to connect with the *Colorado* at Yokohama, and will touch at Nagasaki.
Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both *via* New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall. Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 per cent. upon the whole amount for the round voyage.
Connections are made at Panama with Steam lines upon the west coast of Central and South America. At Aspinwall with the Royal West India Mail Line, West India and Pacific Steamship Co. (Limited), and the French Transatlantic Co., and at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the Cunard, Inman, and National Lines.
Favorable arrangements have been made for through Passengers and Freight to America from Calcutta, Penang, and Singapore, per Steamers of Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., and from Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, per Steamers of Messrs. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Through Bills of Lading given for Freight to Ports of Mexico, and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton, and St. Nazaire, France.
The next departure from Hongkong will be the *Great Republic*, on or about October 15th.
For further information apply at the Agency of the Company, 15 *Praya*.
S. L. PHELPS, *Agent.*
tf 1723 Hongkong, 25th July, 1867.

Extracts.

The Great French Exhibition.

(From the "Times" Special Correspondent.)

PARIS, *Wednesday, June 19.*

It is rather an odd thing to have to report that the Exhibition is now complete. In some few of its details, indeed, it may be still unfinished. The French complain of us as bad gardeners, and point out that the portion of the Park allotted to England does not look so pretty nor even so tidy, as the portion allotted to France. Inside the building, too, one hears of work unfinished. "My best jewels are not yet ready," says one man. "Wait till you see some bronzes of mine that are yet to come," says another. "I am every day expecting some wonderful enamels," says a third. Practically, however, this last week may be said to have rendered the Exhibition as nearly complete as it will ever be. Almost every one of the buildings in the Park, and of the restaurants on the outer rim of the Palace, has received its last touch. The International Theatre was opened last week. The great aquarium in the garden—which has been exciting immense expectations, partly because so large an aquarium is in itself a curious sight, partly because the caverns into which the spectator will enter in order to see it from below have all the charms of a cool grotto on a broiling hot day—will be open to view to-morrow. Even the Turkish restaurant is now ready, and the Chinese and Japanese establishments look as if they would open in a day or two. The Exhibition, thus complete, begins to be inconveniently crowded. There is scarcely a day in which there are less than 40,000 or 50,000 people present. Sometimes the numbers mount up to thrice as many. And this, although the great mass of the French working population have not yet begun to find their way to the Champ de Mars. The workmen of Paris crowd into it, but not as yet those of the provinces. These will come later, when the tourists flock in, and no doubt they will form a mighty concourse. In the meantime, the Imperial Commission is very well content with Princes, Kings, and Emperors, and a small gathering of 50,000 a day. These collect chiefly in three of the concentric rings in which the show is arranged. All other parts of the Exhibition are comparatively free; but whoever would see the pictures or the machines well, and whoever dislikes to feed in a great crush, must learn to keep early hours. After 12 o'clock there is little chance of seeing pictures or machinery with comfort. After 11 o'clock it is not easy to pick one's way along the pavement that surrounds the building. At some places the whole breadth of the pavement is taken up with the tables and chairs of people who seem to be enjoying every species of repast, and who are too numerous to find room in the adjacent restaurants. In the earlier part of the day the most crowded of the restaurants and of the adjoining pavement are those belonging to the French. After the breakfast hour, however, the French restaurants are well nigh deserted. There is a period of the day when they are absolutely empty, and then they begin to fill again as the dinner-hour approaches. The restaurants which are most constantly crowded are the Russian and American. These are constantly crowded, because if people cannot eat at all hours they are ever ready to drink. The American drinks are the most popular in the Champ de Mars; and be it remembered that these are not always alcoholic. In the restaurant of Messrs. Dows and Guild one gets a great variety of American dainties—solid and liquid—but their beverage which is most in request is very mild. It consists merely of sodawater with a spoonful of iced cream added to it; and flavoured with whatever syrup may be desired—vanilla, strawberry, lemon, or any other. Ladies are greatly addicted to this compound, which has the fault, however, of being a little too saccharine. Near at hand is the Russian restaurant for those who like tea. You get an infusion of the overland tea, poured into a nice little tumbler, and flavoured, in the Russian fashion, with a slice of lemon. It is a mighty question in the Exhibition whether the dusty visitor who wants some slight refreshment will turn to the right and try the iced drinks of the United States, or to the left and imbibe the hot tea of the Muscovite; and where the path divides there is a crowd of people lounging about, like the ass which is reported to have lingered long between the two bundles of hay.

Now, however, in connexion with the Exhibition one hears little else than talk of the great doings which are to glorify the first fortnight of next month. These are to be the crowning days of the Exhibition, the most splendid of all. On Monday, the 1st of July, will be held the *Fête de la Paix*, as it is called in some of the French journals—that is, a magnificent festival in honour of the Exhibition, and the idea of peace which it represents. The chief event of this festival will be the awarding of the prizes to the successful competitors—an event which is to be environed with the utmost pomp of sight and sound. The ceremony will be held, not in the Champ de Mars—where, indeed, there is no room for it—but in the Palais de l'Industrie, in the Champs Elysées, which was built for the Exhibition of 1855. The great nave of this building is being prepared for the reception of about 20,000 people, every one in his place—the prize men in their places, the Kings and Emperors who do them honour in theirs, the thousands of the orchestra who will sound the trumpets of peace in theirs, and 16,000 witnesses of all this glory in their stalls. The right of admission is to be obtained only by the purchase of a season ticket, the price of which is now reduced to 60f. The Palais de l'Industrie is being magnificently decorated for this festivity, one of the chief features of the decoration being the erection of ten trophies to illustrate the ten groups of subjects into which the "exhibits" are divided. The arrangement of the ten trophies has been intrusted to ten architects (not all French), and in so far as it is possible there will be introduced into these trophies the various works to which gold medals have been awarded. They will be removed from the Champ de Mars to the Champs Elysées on the night of the 30th of June, and on the following night will be restored to their places in the Exhibition.

Then for the music. There will first of all be produced an unpublished hymn of Rossini's. This must be an extraordinary composition, for besides calling into requisition all the resources of a vast orchestra, of a great choir, and of military fanfares, it demands the accompaniment of bell-ringing and a cannonade. We are all naturally curious about this performance in honour of peace which requires, it is said, the swinging of enormous bells and several discharges of cannon. To the sound of this remarkable music the Sovereigns will enter the Palace—a whole troop of them. Besides the Emperor and Empress of the French there will come the Emperor and Empress of Austria, the Sultan, the King and Queen of Portugal, the King of Sweden, the Viceroy of Egypt. It is said that the British Crown will be represented by the Prince of Wales, and the Prussian by the Prince and Princess of Prussia. Among the great monarchs to be present the French papers are very particular in mentioning those high potentates, the Lord Mayor of London, the Lord Provost of Edinburgh, and the Lord Mayor of Dublin. Rossini's hymn will not be the only music performed on this great occasion. I told you some time ago of the music in honour of the Exhibition for which the Imperial Commission had advertised. They had first of all advertised for two pieces of poetry—a hymn in honour of peace, and a cantata in praise of the Exhibition. Having got the words, they next announced that they would award a prize to the composer who would set them best to music by the 5th day of this month of June. The result of the competition is that the judges are not satisfied with the musicians, and have declined to award a prize to any of them. The music for the cantata has been more fortunate. Two hundred competitors contended for the prize, but the judges unanimously and at the first scrutiny of votes decreed M. Camille Saint-Saens to be the most successful composer. The cantata, therefore, as set to music by Mr. Saint-Saens, will be performed on the great occasion of the 1st of July, when the prizes will be distributed.

Although at the end of the day the beautiful and useful works which have obtained gold medals, and which will appear in the midst of the ten trophies already referred to, will be removed from the Champs Elysées and returned to their places in the Champ de Mars, in other respects the decorations of the Palais de l'Industrie will remain for some three weeks, during which a remarkable series of musical performances will take place. On Thursday, the 4th of July, there will be a grand concert, under the direction of M. Georges Hainl, of the Opéra and of the Conservatoire. M. Hainl is just now engaged in the not very easy task of organizing and drilling his troops. He will have an orchestra of about 550 performers and a chorus of 500, nearly all taken from the forces of the Conservatoire, the Opéra, the Opéra Comique, the Théâtre Lyrique, and the Théâtre des Italiens. The orchestra is wonderfully complete, and the composition of it deserves record. Of the stringed instruments there are 340 executants—namely, 180 for the violin, first and second; 60 for the alto, 50 for the violoncello, and 50 for the counter-bass. Of the wood there are 60—namely, 12 for the flute, 12 for the clarionet, 12 for hautboy, and 24 for the bassoon. Of the brass there are 50—namely, 24 for the horn, 8 for the trumpet, 8 for the cornet-à-piston, 12 for the tambour, and 4 for the ophicleide. There are 10 instruments of percussion—drums, kettledrums, cymbals, and tambours. There are 25 harps. Lastly, there is a fanfare band of 60 performers, and in addition to all there is a great organ. With this splendid orchestra, and with a not less splendid chorus at command, M. Georges Hainl will conduct the great concert of July 4.

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tf 697 Hongkong, 17th April, 1866.

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HOUSE, No. 13, *Peel Street*, containing Six Rooms, besides Godowns, Compradore's Room, &c., on the Ground Floor. Gas and Water laid on. Now occupied by Messrs. GRUN & Co.
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Insurances.

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, Tls. 2,000,000, in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each.
Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000.
Directors.
GEORGE TYSON, Esq., (Messrs. Russell & Co.)—*Chairman.*
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A. J. HOW, Esq., (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)
Agencies are established at the several ports of China and Japan.
L. JOSEPHS, *Secretary.*
Shanghai, 22nd August, 1864.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER, AND LONDON.
Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING.
THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co., as Agents for this Insurance at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.
By Order of the Board
JAMES B. NORTHCOTT,
Secretary.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents — ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents — ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents — 1 per cent.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, China Fire Insurance Company.
tf 873 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS, and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay or London.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 8th October, 1863.

NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
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THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED,
tf 2814 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town, and their contents, — ½ per cent. per annum
Otherdwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents, — ¾
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents, — 1
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

THE SWISS LLOYD TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY OF WINTERTHUR.
THE Undersigned having been appointed General Agents for China of the above-named Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 952 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867. [J23

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON.
INCORPORATED 1859.
CAPITAL, £1,000,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1351 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867.

LIFE ASSURANCE.
THE Undersigned have received authority, by a recent Mail, to issue LIFE POLICIES for amounts not exceeding £1,000 without reference to the Head Offices, as was previously required by the Board.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
555 Hongkong, 7th January, 1866.

REDUCTION OF RATES.
SUN FIRE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept SHORT RISKS at the following Reduced Rates,—

Not exceeding	1 month	⅛ per cent.
Above 1 month but not exceeding	3 „	¼ do.
Above 3 months but not exceeding	6 „	½ do.
Above 6 months but not exceeding	12	full annual rate.

ADAM SCOTT & Co., *Agents, Sun Fire Office.*
tf 1729 Hongkong, 13th August, 1866.

AT the request of the Undersigned, Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. have taken temporary charge of the following INSURANCE COMPANIES:—
PHOENIX ASSURANCE COMPANY.
LIVERPOOL, LONDON, AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,
Agents.
tf 1555 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1867.

Insurances.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.
In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent. of the profits of the Company for that year, divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy holder.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, November, 1862.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
A DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) eight per cent, has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above ASSOCIATION for the year ending 30th September, 1865.
Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contributions to that date to the undersigned.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 1974 Hongkong, 11th September, 1866.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSURANCE COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 336 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.
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tf 1023 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

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Hongkong, 23rd March, 1864.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

REDUCTION OF RATES.
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept short period risks at the following reduced scale. viz:—

Not exceeding	1 month	⅛ of the annual rate
Above 1 month, and not exceeding	3 „	¼ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding	6 „	½ do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding	12 „	the annual rate.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company
tf 1694 Hongkong, 8th August, 1866.

NORTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorised to accept the following Rates of Premium, for SHORT PERIOD RISKS on First-class Godowns and Goods stored therein.
For 1 month, ¼ of Annual Rate.
For 3 months, ½ do. do.
For 6 do. ¾ do. do.
Above 6 months the full Annual Rates.
TURNER & Co.
tf 1760 Hongkong, 17th August, 1866.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.
SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Companies, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
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tf 1676 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1866.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above office are prepared to grant Policies against Fire on the usual Terms and conditions. Risk will also be accepted at the following ports:—
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Macao, by E. L. LANCA, Esq.
Amoy, by Messrs. BOYD & Co.
Foochow, by Messrs. KINNEAR & Co.
Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to
ADAM SCOTT & Co., Agents.
tf 1033 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1860.

NOTICE.
UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.
MR. N. J. EDE having resigned the Acting Secretaryship of the UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, Mr. C. D. WILLIAMS is THIS DAY appointed Secretary, and is authorised to sign Policies of Insurance on behalf of the Society.
The Offices of the Company are now those lately occupied by Messrs. LYALL, STILL & Co.
(Signed) W. KESWICK,
Chairman of the Committee.
tf 1509 Hongkong, 4th July, 1867.

MESSRS. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. of Shanghai, Foochow, and Hankow, have been appointed Agents for the Society at those Ports.
(Signed) W. KESWICK,
Chairman of the Committee.
tf 1570 Hongkong, 4th July, 1867.

REDUCTION
IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.
THE Undersigned have received instructions to REDUCE rates for FIRE INSURANCE for SHORT PERIODS, as follows:—
On Policies not exceeding 1 month — from ¼ to ⅛ per cent.
On Policies not exceeding 3 months — from ½ to ¼ „
On Policies not exceeding 6 months — from ¾ to ½ „
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company
tf 1809 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1866.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY
ESTABLISHED 1838.
CAPITAL, £500,000.
MANAGING AGENTS IN CHINA,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
HONGKONG.
MEDICAL REFEREE,
IVOR MURRAY, Esq., M.D.
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For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
Managing Agents in China.
tf 1416 Hongkong, 15th June, 1867.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored thereon.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co,
tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANY'S ORDINANCE FOR 1865.
Capital One Million Dollars.
THE above Company is now prepared to grant Policies against Fire, on Buildings and Goods on the usual terms.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
tf 1202 Hongkong, 9th June, 1866.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following reduced rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—
One month, ... ⅛ per cent.
Three months, ... ¼ „
Six months, ... ½ „
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.
tf 1689 Hongkong, 7th August, 1866.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
Capital Two Millions Sterling.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire, either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton, or Whampoa, to the extent of £15,000 in any one Risk, upon Buildings or Merchandize, on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1385 Hongkong, 12th June, 1867.

REDUCTION OF RATES.
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept short period risks at the following reduced scale viz:—

Not exceeding	1 month	⅛ of the annual rate.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding	3 „	¼ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding	6 „	½ do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding	12 „	the annual rate.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, China Fire Insurance Company.
tf 1695 Hongkong, 8th August 1866.

SHORT PERIOD RATES.

Not exceeding	1 month	⅛ of the annual rate.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding	3 „	¼ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding	6 „	½ do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding	12 „	the annual rate.

GILMAN & Co.
Agents, North British & Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 1702 Hongkong, 9th August, 1866.

REDUCTION
In the rates of premium for
FIRE INSURANCE.
THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last,) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and on Furnitures and effects therein contained.
In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the town the rate of premium will be three-quarters per cent. in place of one per cent. per annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences so situated being detached or semi-detached the rate will be further reduced to one-half per cent.
The Royal's annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice, viz.—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the town) and their contents. — ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents — ¾ percent.
Offices and Godowns and their contents. — 1 percent.
First Class China Houses and their contents. — 1½ per cent.
Other Risks by Special arrangement.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
tf 714 Hongkong, 9th November, 1866.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT-INSURANCE OFFICE.
137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON.
JAMES HARTLEY & Co.—*Managers.*
ESTABLISHED 1843.
THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.
W. MACAULAY, *Agent.*
tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867.

Insurances.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:—
Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents. — ½ per cent.
Other dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their contents. — ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. — 1 per cent.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

WILLIAM SWAN,
(LATE THOMPSON & SWAN.)
BOILER MAKER,
SHIP AND ENGINE SMITH.
Work executed with dispatch and on reasonable terms.
WEST POINT, HONGKONG.
tf 1310 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1867.

DENTISTRY.
MR. J. S. BURLINGHAM,
DENTIST,
No. 2, *Pedders Hill*, opposite ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE, or at the
HOTEL D'EUROPE.
tf 984 Hongkong, 24th April, 1867.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT
Hollywood Road, next door to the HOTEL DE EUROPE.
tf 661 Hongkong, 12th March, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Office of the Undersigned is at the corner of *Wellington* and *Aberdeen Streets.*
C. D. WILLIAMS.
tf 1306 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

MRS. BONNETT,
MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING IN THE NEWEST FASHION.
SHOW ROOM FOR LADIES
No. 1, Wyndham Street.
[1y 212 HONGKONG. [J22

ED. ROHL.
AVERAGE STATER and ACCOUNTANT.
Office: Pedder's Hill Terrace.
1m 1736 Hongkong, 27th July, 1867.

MONSIEUR FELIX,
COIFFEUR & PARFUMEUR DE PARIS.
A L'HONNEUR de prévenir la Société de Hongkong, qu'il est, à dater de ce Jour, en mesure de satisfaire toute commande qui concerne la partie.
tf 1785 Hongkong, 2nd August, 1867.

MR. FELIX,
HAIRDRESSER AND PERFUMER,
PARIS.
HAS the honour of informing the community of Hongkong that from this date he is in a position to execute all orders with which he may be favored.
tf 1786 Hongkong, 2nd August, 1867.

A CARD.
A. BIELFIELD'S.
TOBACCO AND CIGAR DEPOT,
Queen's Road, No. 24, opposite Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Always on hand—
COMPLETE assortment of Manila CIGARS, CAVITE CIGARS.
RUSSIAN AND MANILA CIGARETTES.
HAVANA CIGARS.
SWISS AND BREMEN CIGARS.
TURKEY AND HAVANA TOBACCO.
VIRGINIA SHAG.
CAVENDISH.
SNUFF.
MEERSCHAUM PIPES.
MEERSCHAUM CIGAR-HOLDERS.
CIGAR CASES.
&c. &c. &c.
PRICES MODERATE.
tf 1605 Hongkong, 11th July, 1867.

HONGKONG BAKERY.
DORABJEE NOWROJEE begs to inform the Public, that he has established a *Bakery*, Fancy Pastry and Confectionery Business on his premises, Queen's Road, opposite the Oriental Bank, and hopes from his long experience and careful attention to merit the patronage and support of the Public.
Hongkong, 4th August, 1866.

AMOEY YEE-LEE,
PLUMBER, BRAZIER, AND BELL-HANGER,
Queen's Road East, opposite Dock Yard.
SHEET-LEAD, LEAD-PIPE.
GALVANIZED IRON PIPE,
WATER-CLOSETS, AND ALL SORTS OF WATER-COCKS.
tf 1120 Hongkong, 10th May, 1867.

A CARD.
TH. H. ELMENHORST, JR.
SHIPBROKER.
tf 2494 Hongkong, 12th November, 1866.

Business Announcements.

NOTICE.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN beg to inform the Public that in compliance with numerous applications and the requirements of the times, they have succeeded in obtaining an EMINENT LONDON CUTTER, whom they believe will give general satisfaction both in style and fit.
They also invite attention to their entire new Stock of English WOOLLEN GOODS suited to the coming Season.
European Tailors and Machine Hands kept on the Premises.
tf 683 Hongkong, 14th March, 1867.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. Tennent, Glasgow, and Messrs. David Corsar & Sons, Arbroath.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
tf 419 Hongkong, January, 1867.

FRENCH BAKERY
H. BABEY & Co.,
No. 13, Wingon Lane,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
FRENCH AND ENGLISH BREAD.
PRICES:
First quality, 14 lbs. for ... ... $1.00.
Second quality, 16 lbs. for ... ... $1.00.
1m 1627 Hongkong, 13th July, 1867.

NOTICE.
BOULANGERIE FRANCAISE,
H. BABEY & Co,
No. 13, Wingon Lane,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
PAIN ANGLAIS ET FRANCAIS,
PRIX:
Premier qualité, 14 livres per ... ... $1.00.
Second do. 16 livres per ... ... $1.00.
1m 1628 Hongkong, 13 Juin, 1867.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS
JOHN PATERSON.
Late with Messrs. LOGAN & Co.
House and Ship Plumber, Gas Fitter, and Zinc Worker.
Praya West, Acheong's Yard, next to Mr. LOGAN
tf 1150 Hongkong, 15th April, 1867.

AMERICAN BOWLING ALLEY.
WHO would avoid pulling Long Faces over Doctor's Stuff had better take a roll on PARKER'S ALLEYS! Who would raise a Muscle with an appetite for an Oyster stew? attend the ALLEYS! Who would be rid of Rheumatic's? roll on the ALLEYS.—No jobbing.
Who would sleep sound with a clear conscience? go to PARKER'S ALLEYS, and pay before leaving. Who would play Billiards when PARKER wishes to give all the Cue for Bowls? Done at our ALLEYS, this 24th June.
EDWARD PARKER.
tf 1486 Hongkong, 25th June, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned, on the 8th instant, lost a Package containing WHITE CALICO SHIRTS, TROWSERS, and STOCKINGS, which are 5 in total number. Among the Package there was a Bill of Exchange, which was drawn by Captain HAGUE, of the Schooner *Numun*, in the Undersigned Tientsin, in favor of PO-NAM-HONG, Hongkong, for the sum of $300. The undersigned had on the 7th instant written notice for same in English and Chinese. So if any person find it, it is cancelled.
HANG-CHUN-WING,
Tientsin.
1m 1724 Hongkong, 25th July, 1867.

JAMES FRISBY,
FAMILY GROCER,
BREAD AND BISCUIT BAKER,
BUTCHER, & GENERAL COMPRADORE.
Shop 71, *Queen's Road*, next to P. & O. Company's Office; Stall 103, Central Market.
Every Article supplied for family use.
TERMS MODERATE.
tf 1297 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

DEPOTS of Labuan Coal have been established at the undermentioned Ports.
Swatow .... Messrs. Bradley & Co.
Amoy .... Messrs. Elles & Co.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 2430 Labuan 1st August, 1865.

WM. DOLAN,
SAIL MAKER, &c.,
Duddell Street,
Opposite the French Consulate.
tf 631 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1866.

BUTCHER'S LIVERY STABLES.
HORSES received on Livery.
Carriages and Horses sold and bought on Commission.
Farriery, under careful supervision.
Carriages and Horses for Hire by the job, hour, day, week or month.
Harness and Saddlery repaired and renovated, a stock of London made being always on hand.
Horses broken to Saddle or Harness.
(J.B. will be happy to call at the residence of any person requiring his services, on receiving instructions to that effect.)
Horses always on hand for Sale.
Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.

SHIPPING IN THE CANTON WATERS.

Vessel & Captain.	Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
HONGKONG.				
Steamers.				
Agamemnon, Middleton	Brit. str	1550	Birley & Co	London
Baroda, Haselwood	Brit. str	1232	P. & O. S. N. Co	Bombay
Clan Alpine, Hutchison	Brit. str	976	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Colorado, Ed. W. Smith	Amer. str	4009	P. M. S. S. Co	San Francisco
Fame, Stephenson	Brit. str	117	H. K. & W. Dk. Co	*Tug Plying*
Fire Dart, Thelund	Brit. str	500	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	
Glengyle, Hooper	Brit. str	1265	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Kinshan,‡ Haskell	Brit. str	560	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	
Kin-Kiang,† Benning	Brit. str	1065	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	
Lightning, David Rodger	Brit. str	811	Gibb, Livingston & Co	S.hai & Nagasaki
Lin-lin	Brit. str	184	Acheong	*Laid up*
Prince Albert, R. Hogarth	Brit. str	180	Acheong	
Poyang	Brit. str	821	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	
Sir J. Jejeebhoy,‡ Godsill	Brit. str	154	Acheong	
Sunda, Wm. Seames	Brit. str	1760	P. & O. S. N. Co	Shanghai
Thunder, P. Taylor	Brit. str	868	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Tigre, Bailore	Fch. str	1680	Messageries Imperiales	Suez
Undine, Toppin	Brit. str	365	D. Lapraik & Co	*Repairing*
White Cloud,* Carroll	Brit. str	318	H. K., C. & M. S. B. Co	
Yesso, Ashton	Brit. str	580	D. Lapraik & Co	East Coast

* *Running between Macao and H.Kong.*
† *Running between H.Kong and Canton.*

Vessel & Captain.	Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Sailing Vessels.				
Advance, Tams	Siam. bk	330	Order	
Agnes, J. D. Knapp	Brit. sh	1011	Aug. Heard & Co	
Albert, Schrader	Ham. sch	201	Siemssen & Co	
Andromeda, Morison	Brit. bk	1048	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Annie, Pitrie	Brit. sch	304	Order	
Canadian, Russell	Brit. sh	704	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Canton	Prus. bk	808	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	*Laid up*
Carnatic, Caillet	Fren. sh	1200	Captain	Saigon
Ceres, Hahn	Prus. bg	203	Siemssen & Co	
Claire, Robert	Fren. bk	421	Order	
Comet, Schuson	Siam. bk	507	Chinese	
Costa Rica, Menlin	Brit. bk	290	Adam Scott & Co	
Eagle, Russell	Amr. sch	83	Captain	
Ellen	Amr. sh	631	Parker & Co	*Laid up*
Ettie, Black	Brit. bk	466	P. & O. S. N. Co	
Fez Rahamee, J. D'Econta	Brit. sh	527	Cowasjee & Co	
Foam, T. Watt	Brit. bk	623	Birley & Co	
Foochow, Woods	Brit. bk	594	Smith, Kennedy & Co	
Fortitude, Deane	Brit. bk	372	Chinese	*For Sale*
Fray Bentos, A. Bollo	Ital. bk	471	Order	
Glenroy, Adley	Brit. sh	1318	N. Mody & Co	S'pore & Calcutta
Glorious, Jipson	Prus. bg	263	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
Goliah, de Silva	Siam. bk	541	Chinese	
Henry Darling, Wibe	Brit. bk	412	Chinese	
Henry Handley, Gardner	Brit. sh	1170	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Hongkong, Fendorberg	Siam. bk	635	Chinese	
Hyacinth, McFarlane	Brit. bk	324	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Indomitable, R. G. Dibbs	Brit. sh	1011	P. A. Motta	Calcutta v. S.pore
J. H. Jessen, Jessen	Prus. bk	259	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Jeddo, Ingrora	Port. bk	453	Rosario & Co	
Johanna Antonia, Withof	Dut. bk	320	E. Schellhass & Co	
Juno, Gottfriedsen	Prus. bg	190	John Burd & Co	
Kallamba, Jordon	Brit. bk	319	Chinese	
Kali-Mass, Kohn	Ham. bk	200	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Kelso, Black	Brit. bk	557	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Kim-hok-lin, Drunton	Siam. bk	262	Chinese	
Lancaster, Forbes	Brit. bk	517	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
Luchnugar, Baskell	Brit. sh	1000	Messageries Imperiales	
Lucerne, McNeil	Brit. sh	608	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Luis Henry, Tegeler	Brem. sh	800	Ed. Schellhass & Co	
Magnet, Crosby	Amer. sh	630	Bosman & Co	
Malacca, P. W. Yarrath	Brit. bk	566	Yuen-tat-hong	
Midnight, Brock	Amer. sh	838	Olyphant & Co	
Mirage, Taylor	Brit. sh	718	Smith, Kennedy & Co	
Morning Star, Schutt	Siam. bk	540	Chinese	
Muscat Merchant, Ward	Brit. sh	554	Bosman & Co	
N. B. Palmer, J. Steele	Amer. sh	1125	Smith, Archer & Co	
Nagasi, Jenkins	Brit. bk	709	Gilman & Co	
Napiano, Juan Zanderia	Span. bg	200	Remedios & Co	
Nile, Moss	Brit. bk	284	Thos. Howard	
Northfleet, W. Symington	Brit. sh	170	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Omar Pasha, Krokstedt	Brit. sh	819	P. A. Motta	
Orenz, Guirand	Fren. sh	637	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Pedro Primeiro, A. Fulle	Port. sh	1481	Captain	
Pieter, Hoogerwerff	Dut. sh	601	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
Princess of Wales, Barron	Brit. bk	353	Aug. Heard & Co	
Prudhoe, Watson	Brit. sh	675	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Queen of the Seas, Reid	Brit. sh	739	Order	
Samuel Russell, F. G. Lucas	Amer. sh	752	Smith, Archer & Co	
San Lorenzo, Bochara	Span. bg	220	Remedios & Co	
San Julian, Garcira	Span. sch	100	Remedios & Co	
Senator Weber, Hane	Ham. sh	1298	Aug. Heard & Co	
Solent, Nixon	Brit. sh	732	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Syaloo, Hutchinson	Amer. sh	900	The Tudor Ice Co.	

Vessel & Captain.	Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
HONGKONG.				
Sophia, Hinson	Siam. bg	304	Chinese	
Southern Belle, Chester	Brit. sh	1125	Borneo Co. Limited	
Sumatra, Kinsman	Amer. sh	1070	Aug. Heard & Co	
Teresa, Bollo	Ital. sh	1000	Remedios & Co	
Usalta, T. H. John	Ham. sh	1100	P. & O. S. N. Co	
Unity, Thos. Howde	Brit. bk	247	Turner & Co	
Veritas, Carrey	Brit. sb	682	Turner & Co	
Veronica, C. Brown	Brit. bk	332	Gilman & Co	
Villa do Rivadavia, Castilho	Span. bg	261	Remedios & Co	Manila
Winfield Scott, Rand	Amer. sh	1530	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	
Zephyr, Koefod	Dan. bg	181	John Burd & Co	
Zwey Gebruder, Sass	Prus. sch	196	Wm. Pustau & Co	Tientsin
Receiving Vessels, & Hulks.				
Chase, Mason		288	Harbor Master	Powder Hulk
Fort William, Townsend	Brit. sh	1000	P. & O. S. N. Co	
John Adam, Buncombe	Brit. bk	318	D. Sassoon Sons & Co	
Royal Saxon	Hulk		Harbor Master	
WHAMPOA.				
Steamers.				
Lamont, Castilla	Brit. str	789	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Little Orphan, Wright	Brit. str		Union Dock Co	*In Dock*
Peiho, J. C. Bulsien	Prus. str	84	Siemssen & Co	
Spark,‡ Wilson	Amer. str	140	Thos. Hunt & Co	
Spec	Brit. str		Thos. Hunt & Co	*In Dock*
Thales, Bramwell	Brit. str	774	Gibb, Livingston & Co	

‡ *Running between Macao and Canton*

Vessel & Captain.	Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Sailing Vessels.				
Atrus, Watson	Brit. bk	523	Thomas & Mercer	London
Chalgrove, Armstrong	Brit. bk	509	Morgan, Lambert & Co	London
Chanticleer, Vowe	Brit. bk	303	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Cleveland, Ruxton	Brit. bk	497	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Colima, Buhrfiend	Ham. bk	250	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Ethel, Wylie	Brit. bk	371	Olyphant & Co	*Repairing*
Maria Morton, Murello	Fren. bk	401	Reynvaan, Brothers & Co	Manila
Shamshah	Brit. sh	806	Philips, Moore & Co	*Laid up*

CHOPS LYING IN WHAMPOA REACH.
Dana's Is. Dock Co's Chop
Hongkong & W'poa Dock Co's Chop
Lorcha "Spy," belonging to Customs
Ruparell, Customs
Situn, Customs Chop
Sylphide, Store Chop

Vessel & Captain.	Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
MACAO.				
Asia, D. S. Calderon	R.C.A. sh	1817	E. W. Pearce	
Baron Kellner, Corleb	Aust. bk	270	Carlowitz & Co	
Camila Cavour, Landabasso	Hawa. sh	1100	P. Carnovaro & Co	
Cintra	Port. bk		Order	
Coromilla	Port. bg		Order	
D. Pedro II	Port. bk		Order	
D. Maria Pia	Port. sh		Order	
Elize, Lauritzen	Prus. bk	349	Order	Newchwang
Eva, N. Christopher	Brit. bk	224	M. A. dos Remedios	For Sale
Helena, Dill	Dut. bk	499	Order	
Keelands Hlog	Dut. bk		Order	
Labuan	Brit. bk		Order	
Liguria, Fosse	Ital. sh	1000	Reynvaan, Brothers & Co	
Luisa Canevaro, Demor.	Ital. sh	1300	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Nil Desperandum	Brit. bk		Order	
Orestes	Dut. bk		Order	
Providenza, Nattini	Ital. sh	584	F. J. dos Remedios & Co	
R. Pratolongo, R. Profum	Ital. sh	890	Reynvaan, Brothers & Co	
S. Fernando, M. Barreda	Span. sch	165	Order	
Trancelga, G. Marquis	Port. bk	871	Order	
Uncowah, Busciano	Ital. sh	990	Captain	
CANTON.				
Chun-kiel, Marcy	H.I.C.M. Str.			
Cuuda, Graves	Amer. sh		Thos. Hunt & Co.	
Demerara			Customs Chop	
Fee-loong, Edwards	H.I.C.M. Str.			
Has Ching, Folsom	H.I.C.M. Str.		Revenue Cruiser	
Pekin				
Spy, Masters	H.I.C.M. lor.		Revenue Cruiser	

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